Bachelor of Business Administration in International Business  
2019-2020 Catalog

**Overall Requirements to Graduate**
- 120 credit hours/126 for BBA in IB
- Completion of core curriculum
- Completion of a major
- 36 upper division credit hours
- GPA above 2.0
- Major GPA above 2.0
- Minor/Program complete (optional)

### Core Curriculum (44 hours)

#### Theology (9 credit hours) Must take in order. (Pre-req: Phil 1311 or 1315/3315)
- Theo 1301/3301 Intro to Sacred Scriptures
- Theo 2301/3311 Teachings of the Catholic Church
- Theo 3349 Christ and the Moral Life (Phil 2314 or 2316/3316)

#### Philosophy (9 credit hours) Choose one sequence:

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<th>Systematic Sequence (must take in order)</th>
<th>Historical Sequence (must take in order)</th>
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<td>PHI 1311 Philosophy of the Human Person</td>
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<td>PHI 2314 Ethics</td>
<td>PHI 2316/3316 Medieval Philosophy</td>
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<td>PHI 3313 Metaphysics</td>
<td>PHI 3317 – Modern Philosophy</td>
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#### Synthesis Course (3 credit Hours)

Choose one synthesis course from the Synthesis Course List.

#### English (9 credit hours)* Must take in order.
- ENGL 1341 The Classical Tradition: Literature & Composition I
- ENGL 1342 The Middle Ages: Literature & Composition II
- ENGL 2312 The Modern World: Literature & Composition III

*Students with transfer credit: 3 transfer credits: Take 1341/1342 (left) 6 transfer credits: Take ENGL 3312 (below) ENGL 3312 Perspectives in World Lit.

#### History (6 credit hours) Choose one pair of courses:

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<th>World History</th>
<th>U.S. History</th>
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<td>HIST 1335 World Community I</td>
<td>HIST 2333 U.S. History to 1877</td>
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<td>HIST 1336 World Community II</td>
<td>HIST 2334 U.S. History since 1877</td>
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#### Social and Behavioral Sciences (6 credit hours) Choose one option:

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<td>Choose two courses from the Social and Behavioral Sciences Core course list.</td>
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<td>Choose one course from the Communication Core course list.</td>
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#### Natural Sciences (8-10 credit hours) Choose one option:

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<th>Natural Sciences + Modern and Classical Language Option (10 credit hours)</th>
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<td>Choose two lecture/laboratory courses from the Natural Sciences Core course list.</td>
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<td>Choose two sequential courses in a language. Courses must be completed in order</td>
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#### Mathematics (3 credit hours)
- Choose one course from the Mathematics Core Course list.

#### Fine Arts (3 credit hours)
- Choose one course from the Fine Arts Core Course list.

**Freshman Symposium (1 credit hour) Required for all incoming freshmen.**
- UNIV 1111 Freshman Symposium

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**Credit Hour Breakdown**

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### Modern and Classical Languages (6 credit hours)
- Choose two sequential courses in one language. Courses must be completed in the approved order. Choose language options from French, Spanish, (Classical) Greek, Latin, Irish, Arabic, German, Italian, Japanese, Mandarin Chinese, Russian or other available language.

### International Business Core Curriculum (49 credit hours)
- ACCT 1301 – Intro to Financial & Managerial Accounting
- ACCT 4366 – Comparative Accounting Practices
- DEIS 4333 – Principles of Operations Management (MATH 2435)
- ECON 1331 – Principles of Macroeconomics
- ECON 1332 – Principles of Microeconomics
- ECON 3331 – International Economics (ECON 1331/1332)
- FINA 3339 – Corporate Finance (ECON 1332; ACCT 1341; MATH 2435)
- FINA 3334 – International Financial Management (ECON 1332; MATH 2435; ACCT 1341)
- MATH 2435 – Introduction to Statistical & Quantitative Analysis
- MGMT 2347 – Principles of Management
- MGMT 2357 – Introduction to International Business
- MGMT 3320 – Business Communication
- MGMT 3390 – Management Information Systems
- MKTG 3343 – Principles of Marketing
- MGMT 4399 – Business Law
- MGMT 4399 – Senior Seminar (DEIS 4333, FINA 3339, MKTG 3343, MGMT: 2347, 3320, 3390, 4331, INST: 3351, 3355, 4377. INST: 3357, 3359, 3360 or 3363)

### International Studies and Geography Required Courses (24 credit hours)
- GEOG 2332 – World Regional Geography
- INST 1351 – Introduction to International Studies
- INST 3351 – Comparative Political Systems (INST 1351)
- INST 3352 – International Politics (INST 1351)
- INST 3355 – Intercultural Issues (INST 1351)
- INST 4364 – International Law (60+ credit hours)
- INST 4369 – Seminar in Development Studies (60+ credit hours)
- INST 4393 – Special Topics: Business-Government Relations / Country Risk

### International Regional Studies (3 credit hours) (Pre-Req INST 1351)
- INST 3357 – Regional Study of Europe
- INST 3359 – Regional Study of Latin America
- INST 3360 – Regional Study of East Asia
- INST 3363 – Regional Study of North Africa and the Middle East

### Additional International Business Requirements
- Study Abroad course/ Exchange Program
- Colloquia/Seminars
- Competency Certification
- Information Literacy Workshops

### Electives
- Electives to reach the 120 hour minimum to graduate (0 credit hours)

### Totals
- Total undergraduate hours (120 minimum):

**MINIMUM TOTAL: 126+**