

CHS and STEM MBA Accelerated Degree Program (ADP)

Employers are constantly looking for graduates with scientific, technical, and business skills. An MBA program will help you to stand out in today's high-tech workforce – with only one additional year at MU.

The STEM-MBA allows you to complete up to 12 credits of MBA coursework during your senior year, which makes it possible to complete your MBA degree in one additional year after graduation (summer, fall, spring).

Interested students should work with their undergraduate adviser as well as a Graduate School of Management adviser to ensure they are meeting all program requirements. In the College of Health Sciences, undergraduate majors for the STEM-MBA include Biomedical Sciences and Exercise Physiology.

STEPS to an MBA at MU

Complete prerequisite MBA coursework during your undergraduate studies:

Quantitative Courses:

- **3-4 cr. Calculus (1 course):** MATH 1400, 1410, 1450, 1451 or higher (transfer/test credits accepted)
- **3 cr. Statistics:** Any stats course accepted for the BUAD minor. Please note that MATH 1700, SOCI 2060 or PSYC 2001 will also apply towards the UCCS MR. Transfer/test credits accepted.

Business Essentials 1: Accounting, Economics and Finance – *the two courses below must be completed with a C or better to satisfy MBA 6020 in the MBA program*

- **3 cr. BUAD 2100 Accounting and Finance Fundamentals for Non-Business Majors**
- **3 cr. ECON 1001 Introduction to Economics** (or transfer/test credits for both ECON 1103 & 1104)

Business Essentials 2: Marketing, IT and Operations and Supply Chain – *the three courses below must be completed with a C or better to satisfy MBA 6030 in the MBA program*

- **3 cr. INTE 3001 Introduction to Information Technology**
- **3 cr. MARK 3001 Introduction to Marketing**
- **3 cr. OCSM 3001 Operations and Supply Chain Management**

Complete a minor? These two courses are NOT required for the MBA, but are needed for a BUAD minor:

- **1 cr. BUAD 1060 Business Applications: Basic Business Analytic Tools** (can be taken as early as second semester freshman year – if you have not declared a minor in Business Administration, please contact Joseph.Terrian@mu.edu for permission number)
- **3 cr. MANA 3001 Behavior and Organization** – strongly recommended for the STEM-MBA, but not required.
- **If decide to complete the Business Administration Minor (BUAD)** – the declaration of minor form is available on the Marquette Central web site under “Forms-Academic.”

• **Junior Year: Apply to the STEM MBA**

- Schedule meeting with a Graduate School of Management adviser
- Register for and take the GMAT or GRE
- Complete Graduate School of Management Application (GSM) – note a GSM form is required to enroll in any MBA courses taken while an undergraduate student. Completed forms should be submitted to the CHS Dean's Office (SC 244).

• **Senior Year**

- Once admitted to the accelerated STEM MBA program, you can complete a maximum of 12 credits of the MBA course work in your senior year. MBA courses taken in the senior year must be completed with a B or better to fulfill both undergraduate and MBA requirements.