

Isenberg Online Degree Completion Program

Bachelor of Business Administration/BBA – Accounting major

Curriculum Summary as of Fall 2026

University transferable course tips , gen-ed transfer guide , Mass Comm Colleges Transfer Database						
University Requirement	BBA Requirement	Course	typically offered	CR	Notes	45CR Min
College Writing/CW/ENGLWRIT112	-	ENGLWRIT112	SMR	3		
Math/R1&AnalyticalReasoning/R2	Calculus	MATH127	varies	3		
Biological Science/BS	-	varies	varies	4		
Physical Science/PS	-	varies	varies	4		
Arts/Literature/AL, AT	-	varies	varies	4		
Historical Studies/HS	-	varies	varies	4		
Social and Behavioral Science/SB	Microeconomics	ECON103	varies	4		
Social World/SB	Macroeconomics	ECON104	varies	4		
Gen-ed elective	-	varies	varies	4		
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US Diversity/DU	-	varies	varies	4		
Global Diversity/DG	-	varies	varies	4		

BBA Core Requirements		More than 50% MUST BE taken through UMass Amherst				
Requirement	Course	typically offered	CR	Notes		
Financial Accounting	ACCOUNTG 221	SPR/FAL	3			
Managerial Accounting	ACCOUNTG 222	WTR/SPR/SMR-13week	3	Prereq ACCOUNTG221		
Microeconomics	ECON103	SPR/SMR/FAL	-	See Social and Behavioral Science/SB gen-ed		
Macroeconomics	ECON104	SPR/SMR/FAL	-	Social World/SB gen-ed		
Fundamentals of Finance	FINANCE 301	SPR/SMR1 or 2/FAL	3	Prereq ACCOUNTG221 and OIM 240, calculus recommended		
Principles of Management	MANAGMNT 301	SPR/SMR-1 or 2/FAL	3			
Fundamentals of Marketing	MARKETNG 301	SPR/SMR-1 or 2/FAL	3			
Calculus	MATH 127	SPR/SMR/FAL	-	See Math/R1&AnalyticalReasoning/R2 gen-ed		
Intro to Business Info Systems	OIM 210	SPR/SMR13-WEEK/FAL	3			
Statistics/Business Data Analysis	OIM 240	SPR/ SMR13-WEEK/FAL	3			
Intro to Operations Management	OIM 301	SMR13-WEEK/FAL	3			
Career/Professional Dev.	SCH-MGMT 200	SPR/SMR-1/FAL	1	Course subject = Isenberg School of Management		
Inclusive Leadership for Global Workplaces	SCH-MGMT 201	SPR/SMR/FAL	3			
Introduction to Law	SCH-MGMT 260	SMR-1/FAL	3			
Management Communications	SCH-MGMT 310	SPR/SMR1 or 2/FAL	3	Jr. Year Writing, Prereq ENGLWRIT112, Jr Status		
Business Policy & Strategy	MANAGMNT 494BI	SPR/SMR-1 or 2	3	Integrative Experience/Sr Status/ Take last semester possible		

BBA Breadth/non-business 15 credits minimum, one Economics or Resource Economics class eligible				
Requirement	Course	typically offered	CR = 15	Notes
Non-Business			3	Non-business courses, anything EXCEPT, Accounting, Economics, Finance, Hospitality & Tourism Management, Management, Operations and Information Management/OIM, Resource Economics, Isenberg School of Management/SCH-MGMT and Sport Management
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Accounting Major, eight 3-credit courses			All courses MUST BE taken via Isenberg UMass			
Requirement	course	typically offered	CR	Notes/Pre-reqs		
Intermediate Financial Accounting I	ACCOUNTG 321	SPR/SMR-13 week	3	Prereq ACCOUNTG 221		
Intermediate Financial Accounting II	ACCOUNTG 322	FAL ONLY	3	Prereq ACCOUNTG 321w/C		
Advanced Financial Accounting	ACCOUNTG 423	SPR ONLY	3	Prereq ACCOUNTG 322		
Auditing	ACCOUNTG 441	SMR-2 ONLY	3	Prereq ACCOUNTG 321		
Accounting Information Systems	ACCOUNTG 311	SPR/SMR-13 week	3	Prereq OIM 210, ACCOUNTG 222		
Individual Taxation	ACCOUNTG 371	SMR-1 ONLY	3	Prereq ACCOUNTG 221		
CPA Law	ACCOUNTG 483	SPR ONLY	3	Prereq MANAGMNT 260/ LAST SPR possible		
Elective/Corporate Taxation	ACCOUNTG 472	FAL ONLY	3	Prereq ACCOUNTG 221		

The maximum number of transfer credits applied toward a UMass Amherst Bachelor's degree is 75.

At least 45 credits must be completed through the University of Massachusetts Amherst (30 credits minimum starting with your semester of acceptance), for 120 total minimum, more if transferred credits do not apply directly to the BBA degree.

A minimum GPA of 2.0 in your major and overall is required to graduate. All required gen-eds, BBA core, and major courses must be a letter grade, one breadth course per semester may be taken pass/fail.

On average, students find that attending spring, summer, and fall, part-time/2 classes/6-8 credits with 24+ hours of coursework per week is manageable.

As a part-time program designed for full-time working and family-oriented students, not all majors can be completed on a full-time schedule. Courses are offered often but not all courses are offered every semester. The Accounting major requires at least two summer courses. For important semester and financial dates, **bookmark the [academic calendar](#).**

Summer and Winter 6-week sessions: expect a 24+ hour per week coursework time commitment per 3 credits. **Spring, Fall, and 13-week Summer** semesters expect a 12+ hour per week coursework time commitment per 3 credits.

Requirements and courses are subject to change and based on the semester of acceptance.