Business, Minor

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Description

A minor in business is available to students who are interested in business courses but wish to pursue majors in other colleges. The courses available for the minor are designed to appeal to and inform the nonbusiness student while covering a broad range of topics that are important to managers, such as:

- accounting
- computer information systems
- economics
- finance
- management
- marketing
- supply chain management

At a Glance

- College/School: W. P. Carey School of Business
- Location: Tempe campus or online

Program Requirements

Minor Map (Archives)
2021 - 2022 Minor Map

Students must complete 18 credit hours (12 of which must be upper-division) of the specified business courses with a grade of "C" (2.00) or better in each course. At least 12 credit hours must be taken at ASU.

Required Courses -- 15 credit hours

ACC 382: Accounting and Financial Analysis (3)
ECN 211: Macroeconomic Principles (SB) or ECN 212: Microeconomic Principles (SB) (3)
FIN 380: Personal Financial Management (3)
MGT 380: Management and Strategy for Nonmajors (3)
MKT 390: Essentials of Marketing (3)

Elective (select one) -- 3 credit hours

AGB 420: Food Advertising and Promotion (3)
AGB 445: Food Retailing (3)
AGB 456: Food Product Innovation and Development (3)
CIS 300: Web Design and Development (3)
CIS 308: Advanced Excel in Business (3)
ECN 211: Macroeconomic Principles (SB) or ECN 212: Microeconomic Principles (SB) (3)
FIN 331: Financial Markets and Institutions (3)
LES 380: Consumer Perspective of Business Law (3)
MKT 391: Essentials of Selling (3)
MKT 395: Essentials of Advertising and Marketing Communication (3)
REA 380: Real Estate Fundamentals (3)

Depending on a student's undergraduate program of study, prerequisite courses may be needed in order to complete the requirements of this minor.

The upper-division courses specified for the minor are restricted to students with a minimum of 56 earned credit hours and a minimum 2.00 ASU cumulative GPA.

The College of Liberal Arts and Sciences Economics majors must use ECN 211 and ECN 212 in their degree and will take an additional elective to replace that requirement in the minor.

ACC 231 may substitute for ACC 382, if previously taken.

Enrollment Requirements

GPA Requirement: 2.00

Incompatible Majors: all W. P. Carey undergraduate degree programs

Other Enrollment Requirements: None

This minor is open to non-W. P. Carey majors.

Current ASU undergraduate students may pursue a minor and have it recognized on their ASU transcript at graduation. Students interested in pursuing a minor should consult their academic advisor to declare the minor and to ensure that an appropriate set of courses is taken. Minor requirements appear on the degree audit once the minor is added. Certain major and minor combinations may be deemed inappropriate by
the college or department of either the major program or the minor. Courses taken for the minor may not count toward both the major and the minor. Students should contact their academic advisor for more information.

**Career Opportunities**

A minor can help students enhance the marketable skills they acquire in their major program and help them develop new skills apart from it, though most career areas do require more training than a minor alone can provide.

A minor in business can help students with understanding the foundations of business as they pursue careers in management or sales within their industry.

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