Keeping Connected:
DePaul Fall Plans and
Changes to Business Major
Welcome

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To Ensure You Enjoy Your Experience

• Presentation will be recorded
• Participants will be muted during presentation
  o Chat activated for posting questions
  o Chat privately with your college’s assigned Transfer Counselor
• At end of presentation, we will review questions posed to the group through chat
DePaul’s Fall Plans for Admission

• DePaul will reduce students’ on-campus presence by shifting more classes online and limiting residence hall occupancy
• Student activity, athletic, and CTA U-Pass fees will be waived
• The Office of Undergraduate Admission will welcome visitors and tours on the Lincoln Park campus only beginning 8/31/2020
  * Loop campus closed to visitors for Fall quarter
• Virtual Appointment & Events to continue
• Remote Table Visits & Fairs
  * Please connect with your DePaul Territory Manager
• New communication mode - Text Messaging!
Transfer of P/F Credit

• DePaul will continue to accept pass/fail for transfer credit for courses taken through Fall 2020

• Current policy:
  o Only courses with C- or higher will apply to the student’s major/minor
  o Students transferring in WRD 103 and/or WRD 104 must have received grades of C- or better in these courses to fulfill the Liberal Studies requirement

• Amended for Spring, Summer or Fall 2020 transfer credit:
  o Will allow for Pass/Fail grades to also count toward WRD 103, WRD 104 and to courses toward the major or minor

• Students should take into consideration factors that may necessitate a letter grade:
  o Teacher licensure, graduate and professional admission requirements, etc. including qualifying for merit based scholarships
Resource Updates

• Slight changes coming soon to Transfer Guides
• Recommended Courses updated for each DePaul college
• Partnerships page highlighting special agreements
  • Also accessible to students through Transferology
• DePaul Community College Enrollment Reports have been updated for 2019-2020
Transfer Student

Prepare to Transfer
Transferring Your Courses
Transfer Guides
Course Lists
Transferology

Recommended Courses

Accelerated Transfer Admission
DePaul Admission Partnership Program

https://www.depaul.edu/Pages/default.aspx

RECOMMENDED COURSES

There are no requirements for courses you must take prior to enrolling at DePaul. In order to provide the best transfer process for you, a few of our colleges recommend that you take specific courses prior to transferring to avoid loss of credit.

Driehaus College of Business

College of Communication
Autumn 2020 Updates

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Business Analytics: the new way forward

- GOAL: Improving students’ skills in data analysis and applying data when make business decisions
- Professionals in all areas of business need the skills to collect, understand, quantify and analyze data to be able to make decisions on business resources and operations.
- We are accredited by the Association to Advance Collegiate Schools of Business (AACSB) – only 5% of business schools are accredited by AACSB. AACSB added “technology agility” requirement to the list of accreditation standards and that prompted the shift to more analytics and how to work with data.
Business Analytics: two new courses

- Introduction to Analytics course for all business majors: BUS 102 Business Analytics
  - This course introduces students to the growing role of big data and the quantitative strategies that businesses employ to inform decisions. Students will analyze business cases in which data have helped businesses make better decisions, exposing them to real world applications of analytics. The course will also introduce students to some basic statistical techniques and spreadsheet software, which students will use to analyze specific business problems.
  - Required of all students admitted AUTUMN 2020
  - I will be working with Rebecca on CC course articulations that might be = to BUS 102.

- Major specific advanced analytics course
  - Being created for all majors to be added to the curriculum in 2021
  - Management and Entrepreneurship already have it added (MGT 314 Business Analysis Tools)
Business Analytics: impact on transfer students

• Students admitted Autumn 2020 are required to take BUS 102
• If a student has already taken Calculus/Business Calculus that course will count towards one or more of the following:
  • Liberal Studies waive hours
  • Open Elective hours
  • IAI Mathematics requirement
  • IAI Four Domain elective waive hours
• Once admitted and signed up for orientation, we evaluate each student’s record and **we will apply their credit in the best way possible to use as much transfer credit as we can.**
Business Analytics: impact on DAPP students

• DAPP students requirements are still based on the term admitted to DAPP

• For those starting in autumn, their requirements will show calculus requirements (MAT 135 and MAT 136)

• However, students on old curriculums are allowed to opt for a newer curriculum. So, DAPP students can opt to take:
  • MAT 135 or BUS 102
  • MAT 136 or Open Elective

• Once admitted and signed up for orientation, we evaluate each student’s record and **we will apply their credit in the best way possible to use as much transfer credit as we can.**
Recommendations for prospective transfers

• **Take math;** get to Pre-Calculus level
• **Take Statistics equivalent to MAT 137** (sometimes MAT 242**)
• **Obtain your Associate of Arts degree** (if attending Illinois Community College)
• Take equivalent to **ACC 101 & ACC 102** (if you have room)
• Take equivalent to **ECO 105 and/or ECO 106** (if you have room)
• **Take Business Ethics equivalent to PHL 248 or REL 228**
• Maintain a strong GPA (if you go on to professional school, grad school, law school they will want ALL transcripts and they take note of the work you did at every school)
• **Attend the EARLIEST orientation you possibly can**
Math change and the Placement Process

• Since calculus is no longer required, the exemption grid will be changed to “Pre-Calculus or Calculus with a grade of C- or better”

• Students with the equivalent of Pre-Calc (MAT 130) or Calculus (MAT 135, 136, 150, 151, 152, 160, 161, 162, 170, 171, 172) on their transcript will be exempt from the placement test

• Note: even if a student has stats done, that does not exempt them from the placement process. Pre-calculus is a prerequisite to ACC 101 and ECO 315
NEW Entrepreneurship Major
(formerly a concentration in the management major)

- emphasizes the process of designing, launching, running and scaling a new business
- students develop an entrepreneurial mindset and apply knowledge and practical skills to identify new business opportunities, creatively solve problems
- analyze the industry and market, create revenue and business models, and develop management, market and financial strategies
- Courses in: business plan development, creativity and entrepreneurship, entrepreneurship law, innovation and technology, social entrepreneurship, global IPOs and Venture Capital, Sales Fundamentals
- Students connect and are mentored by faculty in the Coleman Entrepreneurship Center and have access to 1871, the largest incubator in North America
NEW Entrepreneurship Minors

• **Entrepreneurship Minor for Non-Business students** builds on the skill sets acquired in majors across the university to prepare for careers as entrepreneurs or to assume entrepreneurial leadership roles across a variety of industries and sectors. Potential can take course in other colleges towards the minor.

• **Entrepreneurship Minor for Business students** build the skill set to prepare for careers as entrepreneurs, and leaders/managers of small and medium-sized enterprises that seek talent adept at design thinking, creative problem-solving, working in teams across systems, and innovating.

• Also encouraged to work with staff in the Coleman Entrepreneurship Center
NEW Business Minor for Non-Business Students

• Available to students outside of the Driehaus College of Business, the Business Minor provides students with sought-after skills for developing an entrepreneurial mindset, making economic and financial decisions, understanding consumers and branding, and using data to tell a story.

• Course in developing an entrepreneurial mindset, marketing and consumer behavior, economics, financial decision making, and big data storytelling

• Different from the Business Administration minor in that the courses are broader in scope and more accessible to a wider range of students in other colleges. AND no MATH prerequisites.
Updated Business Administration Major

• Requirements have changed from courses specifically in Business Law, Economics, Management, Marketing to student interest driven Driehaus electives from ANY of the Driehaus departments. This widens the scope of course work and helps the student design the business major they would like to pursue.
Accountancy Transfer Scholars Program

• Program Benefits
  • Major CPA firms for full-time internships in audit, tax, and other fields
  • A professional accounting mentor
  • Career Center resources and career coaching
  • Accounting student organizations to network with other students
  • Accounting Career Management workshop
  • Visits to major accounting firms in Chicago
  • FREE first DePaul Accounting Course (ACC 304 Financial Reporting 1) in summer before transferring to DePaul in the fall

• Eligibility
  • Admitted transfer student, beginning classes in summer or autumn
  • A 3.3 GPA or higher from prior transfer school
  • Completion of Financial Accounting, with grade B or higher
  • Completion of Managerial Accounting, with grade B or higher

Contact for more information: accountancy@depaul.edu
Thank YOU for all that you do!

Thank YOU for inviting me!
Questions?

Please submit questions in the chat box.