

BUSINESS MANAGEMENT

Program Number 10-102-3 Associate Degree in Applied Science • Four Terms

ABOUT THE PROGRAM

Business managers are found in every sector of the economy in nearly all work settings from manufacturing to health care. The Business Management program provides graduates with the knowledge and skills for positions such as an entry-level manager, office manager, shift coordinator, or team leader, or graduates may start their own business. The successful business manager oversees day-to-day activities and leads the team or organization to the next level of performance. Managers plan, organize, staff, and control the tasks that carry out the work of the business or nonprofit organization. If you set goals for yourself and strive to accomplish them, prefer working with others rather than alone, enjoy serving as a leader even if it means more work, and want to improve your skills and promotion potential, then a career in business management may be a good choice for you.

PROGRAM OUTCOMES

- Plan the operation of a business across functional areas.
- Organize resources to achieve the goals of the organization.
- Direct individuals and/or processes to meet organizational goals.
- Control business processes.

ADMISSIONS STEPS

- Work with Admissions Specialist to:
- Submit Application and \$30 Fee
- Complete an Assessment for Placement (Accuplacer or ACT)
- Submit Official Transcripts (High School and Other Colleges)
- Meet with Program Advisor/Counselor to Discuss Program Details

APPROXIMATE COSTS

- \$132 per credit (resident)
- \$198 per credit (out-of-state resident)
- Other fees vary by program (books, supplies, materials, tools, uniforms, health-related exams, etc.) Visit gotoltc.edu/payingforcollege for details.

PLACEMENT SCORES

Accuplacer/ACT scores will be used to develop your educational plan. Contact your program advisor/counselor for details.

CAREER & EDUCATION ADVANCEMENT OPPORTUNITIES

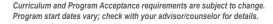
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Catalog No.	Class Title	Credit(s)
10104102 10105124 10196189 10102110 10801195	Term 1 Marketing, Principles of Portfolio Introduction Team Building and Problem Solving Introduction to Business Written Communication OR 10801136 English Composition 1	3 1 3 3 3
10804123	Math with Business Applications	3 16
	Term 2	16
10101131 10105128 10196191 10196193	Business Accounting Personal Branding Supervision Human Resource Management	4 2 3 3
10801198	Speech OR	3
10809122	10801196 Oral/Interpersonal Comm Introduction to American Government	3 18
10101127 10104104 10182102 10182108 10809195 10809198	Term 3 Managerial Accounting Selling Strategies Service Operations Management Purchasing Economics Introduction to Psychology	3 3 3 3 3 3
10101106 10102107	Term 4 Payroll Applications Internship - Business Management OR 10138101 Introduction to International Business	2
10102123 10102127 10102160 10806112	Business Management-Capstone Portfolio Assessment-Business Manager Business Law Principles of Sustainability	3 ment 1 3 3 15

TOTAL 67







BUSINESS ACCOUNTING ...introduces Business Management students to the core concepts of accounting and how a manager uses accounting in running a business. The students will use a computerbased accounting system to help them understand how transactions from the various business processes lead to financial statements. The student will also learn how to use financial statements to manage a business. PREREQUISITE: 10804123 Math with Business Applications and COREQUISITE: Microsoft Excel skills or equivalent

BUSINESS LAW 1 ...provides the learner with the skills to summarize the American legal system; diagram the state/federal court systems; evaluate dispute resolution methods; sequence the civil litigation process; summarize the administrative agencies; differentiate civil and criminal law; apply theories of negligence, intentional tort, and product liability; summarize elements of a contract; assess the validity of a contract; assess third-party rights and available remedies; and analyze warranties.

BUSINESS MANAGEMENT-CAPSTONE ...assess the role of business, its internal structure and its relationship to the external environment. Each learner analyzes the functions of business planning, information systems, operations management, information technology, marketing and how they interact and drive business activities. CONDITION: Students must have earned 50 credits or more prior to taking this course

ECONOMICS ...provides the participant with an overview of how a market-oriented economic system operates, and it surveys the factors which influence national economic policy. Basic concepts and analyses are illustrated by reference to a variety of contemporary problems and public policy issues. Concepts include scarcity, resources, alternative economic systems. growth, supply and demand, monetary and fiscal policy, inflation, unemployment and global economic issues. COREQUISITE: 10838105 Intro Reading and Study Skills or equivalent

HUMAN RESOURCE MANAGEMENT ...applies the skills/tools necessary to effectively value and apply employees' abilities and needs to organization goals. Learners will demonstrate the application of the supervisor's role in contemporary human resources management, impacts of EEOC, writing job descriptions, recruitment, selection, conducting job interviews, orientation, developing policies/procedures, training, performance management, employee counseling/development, and effective use of compensation and benefit strategies.

INTERNSHIP-BUSINESS MANAGEMENT ... requires students to complete 72 to 216 hours (1 to 3 credits) of performing work in a business/industrial service setting related to their Business Management program objectives. Students are responsible for seeking and obtaining the internship position. Course requirements include maintaining a log of work activities, identifying and receiving approval from the job supervisor and instructor, and completing a work-related project. Students may meet periodically at LTC. PREREQUISITE: 10105128 Personal Branding or 10105126 Career Assessment & 10105124 Portfolio Intro & 10105128 Personal Branding & CONDITION: Verification of eligibility by Business Mgmt coordinator (student needs 45 credits of Business Mgmt program)

INTRO TO PSYCHOLOGY ...introduces students to a survey of the multiple aspects of human behavior. It involves a survey of the theoretical foundations of human functioning in such areas as learning, motivation, emotions, personality, deviance and pathology, physiological factors, and social influences. It directs the student to an insightful understanding of the complexities of human relationships in personal, social, and vocational settings. COREQUISITE: 10838105 Intro Reading and Study Skills or equivalent

INTRODUCTION TO AMERICAN GOVERNMENT ...introduces American political processes and institutions. It focuses on rights and responsibilities of citizens and the process of participatory democracy. Learners examine the complexity of the separation of powers and checks and balances. It explores the role of the media, interest groups, political parties and public opinion in the political process. It also explores the role of state and national government in our federal system.

INTRODUCTION TO BUSINESS ...provides an introduction to the world of business from both the organizational and managerial viewpoint. It examines areas of business including the business environment, business formation, planning, operations, accounting, marketing, human resource management, and building effective teams.

MANAGERIAL ACCOUNTING ...prepares the learner to analyze financial performance; prepare and evaluate budgets; and compare and manage capital. (Accounting students will require the Accounting 1 prerequisite reguirement for this course.) PREREQUISITE: 10101131 Business Accounting or 10101111 Accounting 1

MARKETING, PRINCIPLES OF ...introduces the student to the consumer decision process model, the bases used to segment a market, basic concepts about goods, services, and ideas, the nature of supply chain and distribution, integrated marketing communications, and the stages of the product life cycle and their impact on the marketing mix. COREQUISITE: Microsoft Word and PowerPoint skills or equivalent or CONDITION: 105361 Pharm Svcs Mgmt or 315361 Pharm Tech requirements met

MATH WITH BUSINESS APPS ...covers real numbers, basic operations, linear equations, proportions with one variable, percents, simple interest, compound interest, annuity, apply math concepts to the purchasing/buying process, apply math concepts to the selling process, and basic statistics with business/consumer applications. PREREQUISITE: 10834109 Pre-Algebra or equivalent and COREQUISITE: 10838105 Intro Reading and Study Skills or equivalent

PAYROLL APPLICATIONS ...introduces students to federal and state payroll laws; calculations for gross and net income; prepare payroll deductions; and maintain payroll records.

PERSONAL BRANDING ...focuses on the importance of developing a strong brand identity for yourself as a professional. As a prospective employee, you are constantly selling yourself from how you talk, walk, dress, your facial expressions, and your body language; people are always forming impressions of you. In this course, you will develop a professional resume, cover letter, practice interview skills, and learn the role of social media in career development. PREREQUISITE: 10105124 Portfolio Introduction or 10201116 Graphic and Web Portfolio

PORTFOLIO ASSESSMENT-BUSINESS MANAGEMENT ...prepares the student to identify what they have learned throughout the business management program, write career goals, reexamine their resume, research and collect project samples of their achievements, and analyze their achievements within the college core abilities. PREREQUISITES: 10105124 Portfolio Introduction and 10105126 Career Assessment or 10105128 Personal Branding

PORTFOLIO INTRODUCTION ...prepares the student to develop a personal and professional portfolio, to identify self-awareness through various self-assessments and apply these results to the workplace and other environments, to write goal statements and understand their value, to develop an individual history of events and achievements, and to identify significant learning experiences throughout the student's life.

PRINCIPLES OF SUSTAINABILITY ...prepares students to develop sustainable literacy, analyze interconnections among physical and biological sciences and environmental systems, summarize effects of sustainability on health and well-being, analyze connections among social, economic, and environmental systems, employ energy conservation strategies to reduce use of fossil fuels, investigate alternative energy options, evaluate options to current waste disposal/recycling in the U.S., and analyze approaches used by your community. COREQUISITE: 10838105 Intro Reading and Study Skills or equivalent

PURCHASING ...introduces the participant to basic purchasing, quality specifications, inventory control, supplier selection, price aspects, research and measurement, and global purchasing. This course is exciting for anyone interested in working in a challenging and rewarding purchasing and supply chain management career. COREQUISITE: Microsoft PowerPoint or equivalent or CONDITION: 105361 Pharmacy Services Management or 315361 Pharmacy Technician

SELLING STRATEGIES ... prepares the student to understand the business to consumer selling process, the technological advancement in selling, and the importance of customer relationship management.

SERVICE OPERATIONS MANAGEMENT ...introduces the student to the basic coverage of the concepts and current issues in service operation management. Topics include the value equation in operations management; understanding services; building the service system; operating the service system; enterprise resource management (ERP) and supply chain management concepts in the service sector.

SPEECH ... explores the fundamentals of effective oral presentation to small and large groups. Topic selection, audience analysis, methods of organization, research, structuring evidence and support, delivery techniques, and other essential elements of speaking successfully, including the listening process, form the basis of the course. COREQUISITE: 10838105 Intro Reading and Study Skills or equivalent

SUPERVISION ...allows the learner to apply the skills and tools necessary to perform the functions of a frontline leader. Students learn the application of strategies and transition to a contemporary supervisory role including day-to-day operations, controlling, staffing, leadership, problem-solving, team skills, motivation, and training. COREQUISITE: Microsoft Word skills or equivalent or or CONDITION: 105361 Pharm Svcs Mgmt or 315361 Pharm Tech requirements met

TEAMBUILDING AND PROBLEM SOLVING ...applies the skills and tools necessary to facilitate problem solving in a team environment. Each learner will demonstrate the application of the benefits and challenges of group work, necessary roles in a team, stages of team development, different approaches to problem solving, consensus, a systematic process of problem definition, data acquisition, analysis, developing alternative solutions, solution implementation, and evaluation.

WRITTEN COMMUNICATION ...teaches the writing process, which includes prewriting, drafting, revising, and editing. Through a variety of writing assignments, the student will analyze audience and purpose, research and organize ideas, and format and design documents based on subject matter and content. Keyboarding skills are required for this course. It also develops critical reading and thinking skills through the analysis of a variety of written documents. PREREQUISITE: 10831103 Intro to College Wrtg equivalent and COREQUISITE: 10838105 Intro Rdg & Study Skills or equivalent