

BUSINESS SCHOLARS PROGRAM

The Business Scholars Program at Saint Louis University's Richard A. Chaifetz School of Business (<https://www.slu.edu/business/>) allows students to complete any undergraduate business degree in only three calendar years, including summer courses.

The curriculum is the same as the traditional four-year degree program; this is only a time-shortened, not content-shortened, program.

Business Scholars have guaranteed enrollment in business courses as long as the curriculum plan is followed.

Requirements

High school seniors applying for admission are reviewed on an individual basis. The best-qualified students are selected from the application pool with a required minimum high school GPA of 3.75 on a 4.00 scale and a high school math GPA of 3.6 after completion of at least three years of coursework.

Standardized test scores are optional but recommended; international applicants may be required to submit proof of English proficiency. Applicants should note that students accepted in previous years had an average composite 30+ ACT or an average total 1330+ SAT.

Roadmap

Roadmaps are recommended semester-by-semester plans of study for programs and assume full-time enrollment unless otherwise noted.

Courses and milestones designated as critical (marked with !) must be completed in the semester listed to ensure a timely graduation. Transfer credit may change the roadmap.

This roadmap should not be used in the place of regular academic advising appointments. All students are encouraged to meet with their advisor/mentor each semester. Requirements, course availability and sequencing are subject to change.

Course	Title	Credits
Year One		
Fall		
ENGL 1900	Advanced Strategies of Rhetoric and Research	3
MATH 1320 or MATH 1510	Survey of Calculus or Calculus I	3
ECON 1900	Principles of Economics	3
CMM 1200	Public Speaking	3
THEO 1000	Theological Foundations	3
BIZ 1000	Business Foundations	1
BIZ 1002	Business Foundations Excel Lab	0
Credits		16
Spring		
ACCT 2200	Financial Accounting	3
BTM 2000	Introduction to Business Technology Management	3
ECON 3120 or ECON 3140	Intermediate Macroeconomics or Intermediate Microeconomics	3

IB 2000	Introduction to International Business	3
OPM 2070	Introduction to Business Statistics	3
MATH Elective	Must be approved by Advisor	3
Credits		18
Summer		
PHIL 1050	Introduction to Philosophy: Self and Reality	3
PSY 1010	General Psychology	3
Credits		6
Year Two		
Fall		
ACCT 2220	Accounting for Decision Making	3
ECON 3140 or ECON 3120	Intermediate Microeconomics or Intermediate Macroeconomics	3
FIN 3010	Principles of Finance	3
MGT 3000	Management Theory and Practice	3
MKT 3000	Introduction to Marketing Management	3
PHIL 2050	Ethics	3
Credits		18
Spring		
MGT 2000	Legal Environment of Business I	3
OPM 3050	Introduction to Management Science and Operations Management	3
BIZ 3000	Career Foundations	1
THEO 2XXX	2000-level Theology Elective	3
Major Requirement Course		3
Major Requirement Course		3
Credits		16
Summer		
HIST 1110 or HIST 1120	Origins of the Modern World to 1500 or Origins of the Modern World (1500 to Present)	3
Natural Science	Course to meet Natural Science Core Requirement	3
Credits		6
Year Three		
Fall		
ENGL 4000	Professional Writing (or FPA Core Requirement)	3
Math/Natural Science	Natural Science Core Requirement or MATH approved by Advisor	3
Major Requirement Course		3
Major Requirement Course		3
Major Requirement Course or General Elective		3
General Elective		3
Credits		18
Spring		
BIZ 4000	Business Capstone	1
MGT 4000	Strategic Management and Policy	3
Major Requirement Course		3
Major Requirement Course		3
Social Science	Course to meet Social Science Core Requirement	3

General Elective		3
	Credits	16
Summer		
ENGL 3XXX-4XXX	Course to meet English Literature Core Requirement	3
Social Science	Course to meet Social Science Core Requirement	3
	Credits	6
	Total Credits	120