

DOCUMENTS OF THE GENERAL FACULTY

PROPOSED CHANGES TO THE BBA IN THE ACCOUNTING DEGREE PROGRAM IN THE RED MCCOMBS SCHOOL OF BUSINESS CHAPTER IN THE *UNDERGRADUATE CATALOG, 2016-2018*

Dean Thomas W. Gilligan, in the Red McCombs School of Business has filed with the secretary of the Faculty Council the following changes to the *Undergraduate Catalog, 2016-2018*. On April 22, 2015, the faculty representatives from department approved the proposal. On May 27, 2015, the college curriculum committee and the dean approved it. The secretary has classified this proposal as legislation of *exclusive* interest to a single college or school.

The Committee on Undergraduate Degree Program Review recommended approval of the changes on October 7, 2015, and forwarded them to the Office of the General Faculty. The Faculty Council has the authority to approve this legislation on behalf of the General Faculty. The authority to grant final approval on this legislation resides with UT System.

If no objection is filed with the Office of the General Faculty by the date specified below, the legislation will be held to have been approved by the Faculty Council. If an objection is filed within the prescribed period, the legislation will be presented to the Faculty Council at its next meeting. The objection, with reasons, must be signed by a member of the Faculty Council.

To be counted, a protest must be received in the Office of the General Faculty by October 15, 2015.



Hillary Hart, Secretary
General Faculty and Faculty Council

- a. Does this proposal impact other colleges/schools? Yes No
If yes, then how?
- b. Do you anticipate a net change in the number of students in your college? Yes No
If yes, how many more (or fewer) students do you expect?
- c. Do you anticipate a net increase (or decrease) in the number of students from outside of your college taking classes in your college? Yes No
If yes, please indicate the number of students and/or class seats involved.
- d. Do you anticipate a net increase (or decrease) in the number of students from your college taking courses in other colleges? Yes No
If yes, please indicate the number of students and/or class seats involved.

If 4 a, b, c, or d was answered with yes, please answer the following questions. If the proposal has potential budgetary impacts for another college/school, such as requiring new sections or a non-negligible increase in the number of seats offered, at least one contact must be at the college-level.

How many students do you expect to be impacted?

Impacted schools must be contacted and their response(s) included:

Person communicated with:

Date of communication:

Response:

- e. Does this proposal involve changes to the core curriculum or other basic education requirements (42-hour core, signature courses, flags)? If yes, explain: **No**

If yes, undergraduate studies must be informed of the proposed changes and their response included:

Person communicated with:

Date of communication:

Response:

- f. Will this proposal change the number of hours required for degree completion? If yes, explain: **No**

5. COLLEGE/SCHOOL APPROVAL PROCESS

Department approval date:	April 22, 2015	Approved by the Departmental Curriculum Committee
College approval date:	May 27, 2015	Approved by the Undergraduate Program Committee (faculty reps from all departments and programs)
Dean approval date:	May 27, 2015	Dean Thomas W. Gilligan

PROPOSED NEW CATALOG TEXT:

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ACCOUNTING

Bachelor of Business Administration

The requirements of this program are:

1. The Core Curriculum requirements and the BBA Degree Requirements.
2. [~~Fifteen additional semester hours of accounting.~~] Accounting 326, 327 (may fulfill the quantitative reasoning flag), 329, 362, and 364.
3. Economics 420K.
4. Operations Management 335 or 334M [~~and~~]

5. Management 336 (may fulfill the ethics and leadership flag) and 374 (may fulfill the writing and independent inquiry flags).
6. Additional elective coursework, if necessary, to provide a total of at least 120 semester hours.

BBA/MPA: Integrated Approach

Admission

Students are admitted to the integrated approach according to the following requirements. Admission is granted only for the fall semester [~~June 1 is the application deadline for those who wish to begin the program the following fall~~]. Application materials and information about deadlines are available at www.mcombs.utexas.edu/MPA/iMPA/Admissions. Students interested in this program must have met the following requirements by the ~~June 1~~ application deadline: the foreign language proficiency requirement for the BBA degree; and completion of at least sixty semester hours of coursework, including Accounting 311 and 312; Business Administration 101H, 101S, or 101T; Economics 304K and 304L with a grade of C- or better; Mathematics 408C, 408K, or 408N with a grade of C- or better; and Mathematics 408D, 408L, or 408S with a grade of C- or better. As stated in the BBA Degree Requirements, “A student may not repeat for credit or grade points any course in which he or she has earned a grade of C- or higher.”

International students pursuing the BBA/MPA degree:

Admission is based on the applicant’s University grade point average and SAT Reasoning Test or ACT scores, as well as other relevant examples of academic ability and leadership. An applicant with a University grade point average of less than 3.00 is unlikely to be admitted to this program. Admission may be restricted by the availability of instructional resources. An applicant’s disciplinary record, as maintained by the Office of the Dean of Students, will be reviewed for academic dishonesty or other violations of University policy. Violations will be reported to the Admissions Committee and taken into account as part of the application process. Violations may exclude a student from admission depending on the nature and severity of the offense(s). ~~Application materials and information about deadlines are available at <http://www.mcombs.utexas.edu/mpa/integrated-mpa>~~

Before beginning the fifth year, integrated approach students must be admitted to the MPA program. Students must complete at least two long-session semesters in residence in the MPA program. Application forms must be submitted by February 1 of the student’s fourth year. Students must have completed the following BBA degree requirements before the application deadline: the University Core Curriculum, courses needed to declare a major, the human behavior requirement, the lower-division business core, and Business Administration 324. ~~They must also earn an acceptable score on the Graduate Management Admission Test (GMAT) and have their test scores sent to the University’s Office of Admissions. Students usually take the GMAT in the fall or winter of their fourth year.~~

[No further changes to the Admission section.]

Degree Requirements

The requirements for the BBA/MPA program are:

1. Undergraduate coursework
 - a. The Core Curriculum requirements and the BBA Degree Requirements. Because the integrated approach includes a graduate-level internship course, students may forgo the undergraduate internship course described in requirement 7.2 of the BBA Degree Requirements.
 - b. Economics 420K.
 - c. Operations Management 335 or 334M [~~and Management 336 (may fulfill the ethics and leadership flag) and 374 (may fulfill the writing and independent inquiry flags).~~]
 - d. [~~The following courses: Accounting 151, 152, 355, 356, 358C, and 359.~~] Management 336 (may fulfill the ethics and leadership flag) and 374 (may fulfill the writing and independent inquiry flags).

- e. ~~[For students in the auditing/financial reporting, managerial accounting/control, or generalist concentration, Finance 367 and a business elective; for students in the taxation concentration, Finance 367 and three semester hours of coursework in legal environment of business or business, government, and society approved by the student's academic adviser.] Accounting 151, 152, 355, 356, 358C, and 359.~~
- f. ~~[Additional elective work, if necessary, to provide a total of at least 120 semester hours of undergraduate coursework.]~~ For students in the auditing/financial reporting, managerial accounting/control, or generalist concentration, Finance 367 and a business elective; for students in the taxation concentration, Finance 367 and three semester hours of coursework in legal environment of business or business, government, and society approved by the student's academic adviser.
- g. Additional elective work, if necessary, to provide a total of at least 120 semester hours of undergraduate coursework.