

BBA DEGREE PROGRAM GRADUATION SECTION

- 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: n/a
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? n/a
 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? No
 Note: THECB Semester Credit Hour Change Form required, download from URL:
<http://www.thecb.state.tx.us/reports/DocFetch.cfm?DocID=2419&format=doc>
 If yes, explain:

5. COLLEGE/SCHOOL APPROVAL PROCESS

Department approval date: February 6, 2017 Approved by whom: Undergraduate Program Committee
 College approval date: April 26, 2017 Approved by whom: McCombs faculty
 Dean approval date: April 26, 2017 Approved by whom: Dean Jay Hartzell

PROPOSED NEW CATALOG TEXT:⁴

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Graduation

Special Requirements of the School

All students must fulfill the minimum General Requirements for graduation given in The University section.
 Business students must also fulfill the following requirements:

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1. All ~~University~~ students must have a University grade point average of at least 2.00 to graduate. Business students must also have a grade point average ~~in business courses~~ of at least 2.00 in business courses counted toward the BBA degree.

Students in the Business Honors Program who wish to continue in the program or graduate with the Business Honors major must have a University grade point average of at least 3.25 and a grade point average in business courses of at least 3.25.

~~Students in the integrated BBA/MPA program must have a grade point average of at least 3.00 in all coursework taken as part of the minimum 35-hour graduate program; they must also have a grade point average of at least 3.00 in graduate accounting coursework.~~

2. The University requires that at least six semester hours of advanced coursework in the major field of study be completed in residence. The McCombs School of Business requires that at least 12 semester hours of upper-division coursework in the major must be completed in residence at the University on the letter-grade basis.
3. A candidate for a degree must be registered in the McCombs School of Business either in residence or in absentia the semester or summer session the degree is to be awarded. Students must apply for the degree no later than the date specified in the official academic calendar. An **exception** is that eligible students in the integrated BBA/MPA program will **automatically** be granted their BBA accounting degrees at the end of four years unless they opt out. Integrated BBA/MPA students are expected to complete their BBA accounting degrees within four years as a milestone toward their MPA degrees. Integrated BBA/MPA students who are not automatically granted their BBA accounting degrees at the end of four years must apply when they are eligible for the degree no later than the date specified in the official academic calendar.

¹ See <https://facultycouncil.utexas.edu/degree-program-changes> for detailed explanations.

² Submit required Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board forms to the provost's office (lydia.cornell@austin.utexas.edu); downloadable from URL <https://facultycouncil.utexas.edu/theCb-forms>

³ **EXCLUSIVE:** of *exclusive* application and of primary interest only to a single college or school ("no protest" period is *seven calendar days*); **GENERAL:** of *general* interest to more than one college or school (but not for submission to the General Faculty) ("no protest" period is *fourteen calendar days*); *major* legislation must be submitted to the General Faculty for adoption ("no protest" period is *fourteen calendar days*).

⁴ The proposed text should be based on the text of the current catalog available at:

<http://catalog.utexas.edu/undergraduate/>

Strike through and replace (with underlines) only the specific language to be changed. Do NOT use track changes, and do not include hyperlinks in the catalog copy. Submit form electronically to the Office of the General Faculty and Faculty Council at fc@austin.utexas.edu. For questions on completing this section, please contact Victoria Cervantes, fc@austin.utexas.edu, 471-5934 or Brenda Schumann, brenda.schumann@austin.utexas.edu, 475-7654.