

Bachelor of Business Administration (BBA)
Economics

The 2026-2027 list of core courses can be found in the 2026-2027 Undergraduate Catalog: www.utrgv.edu/catalog > See 'Bachelors Degree Program Regulations'

Symbols Key

Campus: B - Offered in Brownsville; E - Offered in Edinburg; O - Offered Online; T - Travel Required

Bolded Course Number*: Program Admission Requirement

Min Grade: A - Excellent; B - Good; C - Satisfactory; D - Below Average; CR - Credit; P - Passing; S - Satisfactory.

Core: 010 - Communication; 020 - Mathematics; 030 - Life and Physical Sciences; 040 - Language, Philosophy & Culture; 050 - Creative Arts; 060 - American History; 070 - Government/Political Science; 080 - Social and Behavioral Sciences;

Core: 090 - Applied Communication and Literacies; Humanities; Leadership; Science Labs; Interdisciplinary; Technologies; Language Diversity & Writing

Register for Business Foundation Courses in their sequence found BOLDED below with an *.

Year	Semester	Credit Hours	Campus	Course Number	Course Title	Minimum Grade	Core	Prerequisite	Additional Notes	
1	Fall	3	B/E/O	Choose 1	Communication	C	010		See General Education Core for course options.	
1	Fall	3	B/E/O	MATH 1324*	Mathematics for Business and Social Sciences	C	020	College Ready TSI status in Mathematics.	This is the required Mathematics option for this degree. This course is the prerequisite for ACCT 2301, QUMT 2341, and QUMT 2398.	
1	Fall	3	B/E/O	ECON 2301*	Principles of Macroeconomics	C	080		Required for admission into RCVCoBE. This is the required Social and Behavioral Sciences (Core) Option in this degree. We recommend you take this course as soon as you can.	
1	Fall	4	B/E/O	Choose 1	Life and Physical Sciences		030		See General Education Core for course options.	
1	Fall	3	B/E	MGMT 1301*	Introduction to Business	C			Required for admission into RCVCoBE. We recommend you take this course as soon as you can.	
1	Fall		B/E/O	UNIV	1301 Learning Framework 1101 Academic and Career Success 1001/1300 Living and Working by Design				As required, based on a number of factors such as credit hours earned, TSI status, high school rank, major declaration, etc.	
1	Fall	16	Semester Total Hours							
1	Spring	3	B/E/O	Choose 1	Communication	C	010		See General Education Core for course options.	
1	Spring	3	B/E/O	Choose 1	American History		060		See General Education Core for course options.	
1	Spring	4	B/E/O	Choose 1	Life and Physical Sciences		030		See General Education Core for course options.	
1	Spring	3	B/E	ACCT 2301*	Introduction to Financial Accounting	C		MATH 1314, MATH 1414, MATH 1324, or MATH 1325.	Required for admission into RCVCoBE. We recommend you take this course as soon as you can.	
1	Spring	3	B/E/O	ECON 2302*	Principles of Microeconomics	C		ECON 2301 with a grade of 'C' or better.	Required for admission into RCVCoBE. We recommend you take this course as soon as you can.	
1	Spring	16	Semester Total Hours							
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2	Fall	3	B/E/O	Choose 1	Government/Political Science		070		See General Education Core for course options.	
2	Fall	3	B/E/O	Choose 1	Language, Philosophy & Culture		040	Prerequisites may apply.	See General Education Core for course options.	
2	Fall	3	B/E/O	INFS 2300*	Data Modeling Management Tools	C			Required for admission into RCVCoBE. Beginning Fall 2019, BCIS 1305 with a 'C' or better will transfer as INFS 2300. We recommend you take this course as soon as you can.	
2	Fall	3	B/E	ACCT 2302*	Introduction to Managerial Accounting	C		ACCT 2301 with a 'C' or better.	Required for admission into RCVCoBE. We recommend you take this course as soon as you can.	
2	Fall	3	B/E/O	QUMT 2341*	Business Statistics I	C		MATH 1314 or MATH 1414 or MATH 1324 or MATH 1325	Required for admission into RCVCoBE. BUSI 2305 with a 'C' or better will transfer as QUMT 2341. We recommend you take this course as soon as you meet the prerequisite.	
2	Fall	15	Semester Total Hours							
2	Spring	3	B/E/O	Choose 1	Government/Political Science		070		See General Education Core for course options.	
2	Spring	3	B/E/O	Choose 1	Creative Arts Option		050		See General Education Core for course options.	
2	Spring	1	B/E/O	Choose 1	Integrative/Experimental Learning Option		090		See General Education Core for course options.	
2	Spring	3	B/E/O	QUMT 2398	Decision Analytics		090	Minimum grade of "C" in MATH 1314 or MATH 1414 or MATH 1342 or MATH 1324.	This is the required Integrative/Experimental Learning course in this degree. If registration issues are encountered, please contact your academic advisor.	
2	Spring	3	B/E/O	Choose 1	American History		060		See General Education Core for course options.	
2	Spring	13	Semester Total Hours							

Students must be admitted into RCVCoBE before registering into Advanced Business courses.

Apply here: <https://www.utrgv.edu/rcvcoBE/resources/advising/apply-for-admission/index.htm>

For questions about applying for admission, please contact your academic advisor.

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3	Fall	3	O	ECON 3381	Money and Banking	C		ECON 2301 and ECON 2302.		
3	Fall	3	E/O	ECON 3341	Econometrics	C		ECON 2301, ECON 2302, and (QUMT 2341 or MATH 1342).	Register to meet prerequisite(s). If not taken, it will prolong graduation.	
3	Fall	3	B/E/O	FINA 3380	Introduction to Finance	C		ACCT 2301, ACCT 2302, and ECON 2301.	Must be completed before the last course: MGMT 4389. Register to meet prerequisite(s). If not taken, it will prolong graduation.	
3	Fall	3	B/E/O	QUMT 3341	Business Statistics II	C		QUMT 2341. Sophomore Standing.		
3	Fall	3	B/E	MGMT 3361	Principles of Management	C		Sophomore Standing.	Must be completed before the last course: MGMT 4389. Register to meet prerequisite(s). If not taken, it will prolong graduation.	
3	Fall	15	Semester Total Hours							
3	Spring	3	O	ECON 3342	Business and Economics Forecasting	C		ECON 3341.		
3	Spring	3	E/O	ECON 3360	Managerial Economics	C		ECON 2301 and ECON 2302.	Course only offered in Spring semesters.	
3	Spring	3	B/E/O	ECON 3353 or FINA 4381 or INFS 3380 or INTB 3330 or INTB 3350 or MARK 3310 or MGMT 4311	International Business Option	C		Prerequisites may apply.	Must be completed before the last course: MGMT 4389. Register to meet prerequisite(s). If not taken, it will prolong graduation. ECON 3353 and FINA 4381 can apply to this requirement or to an advanced ECON elective Option, but CANNOT be used in both.	
3	Spring	3	B/E/O	ECON/FINA 3000-4999	Advanced Economics Elective	C			Any non-duplicated Advanced ECON/FINA course.	
3	Spring	3	B/E	MARK 3300	Principles of Marketing	C		Sophomore Standing.	Must be completed before the last course: MGMT 4389. Register to meet prerequisite(s). If not taken, it will prolong graduation.	
3	Spring	15	Semester Total Hours							

Make sure to meet prerequisites to your final courses. At least two weeks before registration begins, discuss requesting approval for MGMT 4389 with your academic advisor.

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4	Fall	3	B/E/O	MGMT 4304 or MARK 3330	Ethics Option	C		Junior standing.		
4	Fall	3	E/O	ECON 3351	Macroeconomic Theory	C		ECON 2301 and ECON 2302.		
4	Fall	3	B/E/O	MGMT 3335 or MARK 3320 or COMM 3313	Business Communications Option	C		Prerequisites may apply.		
4	Fall	3	B/E/O	ECON/FINA 3000-4999	Advanced Economics Elective	C			Any non-duplicated Advanced ECON/FINA course.	
4	Fall	3	B/E/O	ACCT 3326 or INFS 3390	Management Information Systems option	C		ACCT 3326: ACCT 2302 with a "C" or better and Junior standing. INFS 3390: Advanced standing or permission of the instructor.		
4	Fall	15	Semester Total Hours							
4	Spring	3	E/O	ECON 3352	Microeconomic Theory	C		ECON 2301 and ECON 2302.		
4	Spring	3	B/E/O	BLAW 3337	Business Law I	C		Sophomore Standing.		
4	Spring	3	O	ECON 3358	Labor Economics	C		ECON 2301 and ECON 2302.	Course only offered in Spring semesters.	
4	Spring	3	B/E/O	ECON/FINA 3000-4999	Advanced Economics Elective	C		Prerequisites may apply.	Any non-duplicated Advanced ECON/FINA course.	
4	Spring	3	B/E/O	MGMT 4389	Strategic Management	C		MGMT 3361, MARK 3300, FINA 3380, and (ACCT 3350 or INTB 3350 or ECON 3353 or FINA 4381 or INFS 3380 or INTB 3330 or MGMT 4311 or MARK 3310). Department approval is required. This course should be taken in the semester in which the student is graduating.	Capstone course. This course MUST be taken last semester, when graduating and registered in all remaining courses.	
4	Spring	15	Semester Total Hours							

120 TOTAL HOURS
(42) Advanced minimum credit hours