

# Business and Entrepreneurship Minor: 2011-2012

(Not available to Pre-Business or Business Administration majors)

## REQUIRED ORIENTATION

Current OSU students wishing to declare the minor must view a brief orientation. Students can get to the online minor orientation via the College of Business Student Services website at:

<http://business.oregonstate.edu/services/business-amp-entrepreneurship-minor> under "Declaration Process".

## TO DECLARE THE MINOR

The following areas are reviewed to determine student eligibility:

- ✓ *Required Course Work GPA* – Any of the 28 credits of required minor courses completed at the time of evaluation for declaration must average 2.50 GPA or higher (OSU grades only) with no grade lower than a C-.
- ✓ *Good standing at OSU* – Previous term GPA at OSU and cumulative OSU GPA must be at least 2.0.

## HOW TO DECLARE THE MINOR

After orientation (**IF eligible**), an academic advisor will assist you in planning your course work and the minor will automatically be updated in MyDegrees.

## HOW TO EARN THE MINOR

- ✓ All classes must be taken for a letter grade (A-F). S/U grading is not allowed.
- ✓ A minimum grade of C- required in all minor and COB classes (both OSU and transfer).
- ✓ Minimum 2.5 GPA is required for 28 minor credits (OSU grades only).
- ✓ If a course is repeated at OSU, only the second grade earned will be used to compute the College of Business GPA.
- ✓ Minor course work and/or prerequisite classes may be repeated at OSU only once.
- ✓ **Fifty one percent of minor classes must be completed at OSU.**
- ✓ All classes in minor can be repeated only once (a 'W' counts as a grade).

**It is the student's responsibility to double check that all requirements are met. The advisor can suggest courses and assist the student in constructing a plan of study, but the student, in the end, is responsible for assuring all requirements for graduation are met.**

*Disclaimer: All info is subject to change. Catalog year is based on when a student is admitted to OSU and declares their major or minor.*

[ ] = Prerequisites

### **Required Courses: 23-24 Credits**

- \_\_\_ ECON 201 (COCC) (or OSU *online*) \*Introduction to Microeconomics (4)
- \_\_\_ BA 217 (COCC) Accounting Fundamentals (3) **OR**  
BA 215 Money and Investment: Manager, Lender, Investor Viewpoint (4) -- *online only*
- \_\_\_ BA 250 (COCC) Introduction to Entrepreneurship (4) **OR**  
BA 260 (OSU) *online* (4)
- \_\_\_ BA 351 Managing Organizations (4) -- *online only*
- \_\_\_ BA 360 Introduction to Financial Management (4) [ECON 201 & BA 213 or BA 215]
- \_\_\_ BA 390 Marketing (4) [ECON 201]

### **Elective: Select ONE of the following courses (4 credits total)**

- BA 226 (COCC) **OR** BA 230 (OSU) *online* Business Law I (4)
- BA 357 Operations Management [BA 276 or BA 275]
- BA 364 Project Management [BA 351 or BA 352]
- BA 365 Family Business Management – *online only* [may not take if already took BA 463]
- BA 396 Marketing Research (4) [BA 390 & statistics course]
- BA 453 Human Resources Management (4) [BA 351 or BA 352]
- BA 460 Venture Management (4) [BA 226 & BA 360 & BA 390] -- *offered every other year at Cascades*
- BA 492 Consumer Behavior (4) [BA 390]
- BA 498 Services Marketing (4) [BA 390]

### **Total=28 credits required**

See *Cascades Business advisor* for additional elective course options.

\*Fulfills Social Processes & Institutions Baccalaureate Core requirement.

### **Important Notes:**

- Unless required by the student's major, minors must obtain an override to be able to register for 400-level BA courses.
- The College of Business enforces prerequisites, including class standing prerequisites.
- Enrollment in 400-level BA courses, in addition to course prerequisites listed above, requires senior standing.
- Some 400-level courses are restricted to certain majors. For these courses, listed prerequisites may not apply.
- If a student repeats an OSU course, the grade from each attempt will appear on the a student's academic record but only the second attempt will count towards institutional credits, requirements and grade point average.
- The following courses are approved substitutions for the required minor courses:
  - BA 211, BA 212 & BA 213 for BA 215
  - BA 352 for BA 351