SCIENCE, B.S./BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION, M.B.A.

Begin Campus: University Park
End Campus: University Park

Suggested Academic Plan
The suggested academic plan(s) listed on this page are the plan(s) that are in effect during the 2023-24 academic year. To access previous years' suggested academic plans, please visit the archive (https://bulletins.psu.edu/undergraduate/archive/) to view the appropriate Undergraduate Bulletin edition (Note: the archive only contains suggested academic plans beginning with the 2018-19 edition of the Undergraduate Bulletin).

Accelerated Science, B.S./Business Administration, M.B.A. at University Park Campus
The course series listed below provides only one of the many possible ways to move through this curriculum. The University may make changes in policies, procedures, educational offerings, and requirements at any time. This plan should be used in conjunction with your degree audit (accessible in LionPATH as either an Academic Requirements or What If report). Please consult with a Penn State academic adviser on a regular basis to develop and refine an academic plan that is appropriate for you.

First Year
Fall Credits Spring Credits
BIOL 110 4 CHEM 112 3
CHEM 110 3 CHEM 111 1
MATH 140 4 MATH 141 4
ENGL 15 3 Life Science Option/Writing Across the Curriculum 3
PSU 16 1 ECON 102 3
General Education Course (GHW) 1.5
15 15.5

Second Year
Fall Credits Spring Credits Summer Credits
PHYS 250 4 PHYS 251 4 SC 295 2
Other Science 3 STAT 250 3
ECON 104 3 Other Science 3
CMPSC 203 4 ACCTG 211 4
CHEM 113 1
General Education Course (GHW) 1.5
16.5 14 2

Third Year
Fall Credits Spring Credits Summer Credits
World Language Level 1 4 SC 395 3 SC 495 2

Fourth Year
Fall Credits Spring Credits
400 Science 3 ENGL 202A 3
General Education Course 3
400 Science 3
13 6 2

Fifth Year
Fall Credits
BA 533 2
BA 511 2
BA 515 2
BA 531 2
BA 501 2
BA 512 2
12

Total Credits 124

* Course requires a grade of C or better for the major
‡ Course requires a grade of C or better for General Education
# Course is an Entrance to Major requirement
† Course satisfies General Education and degree requirement

University Requirements and General Education Notes:
US and IL are abbreviations used to designate courses that satisfy Cultural Diversity Requirements (United States and International Cultures).

W, M, X, and Y are the suffixes at the end of a course number used to designate courses that satisfy University Writing Across the Curriculum requirement.

General Education includes Foundations (GWS and GQ), Knowledge Domains (GHW, GN, GA, GH, GS) and Integrative Studies (Inter-domain) requirements. N or Q (Honors) is the suffix at the end of a course number used to help identify an Inter-domain course, but the inter-domain attribute is used to fill audit requirements. Foundations courses (GWS and GQ) require a grade of ‘C’ or better.

All incoming Schreyer Honors College first-year students at University Park will take ENGL 137H/CAS 137T in the fall semester and ENGL 138T/CAS 138T in the spring semester. These courses carry the GWS designation and satisfy a portion of that General Education
requirement. If the student’s program prescribes GWS these courses will replace both ENGL 15/ENGL 30H and CAS 100A/CAS 100B/CAS 100C. Each course is 3 credits.