ONLINE BBA PROGRAM - ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

The following FAU requirements for the 1st and 2nd year of courses must be completed before entering the OBBA Program which offers the 3rd and 4th year of the upper-division business courses completely online.

- Completed a minimum of 60 credit hours
- Completed the FAU general education courses, which are called the Intellectual Foundation Program (IFP):
  - College Writing I: ENC 1101 (3 credit hours with “C” grade of higher)
  - College Writing II: ENC 1102 (3 credit hours with “C” grade of higher)
  - Math & Quantitative reasoning: (met with MAC2233 and STA2023; see below)
  - Science and the Natural World: (6) credit hours must include one lab course
  - Society and Human Behavior: (met with ECO2013 and ECO 2023; see below)
  - Global Citizenship: (6) credit hours
  - Humanities: (6) credit hours


IFP COURSES ARE GENERALLY NOT OFFERED ONLINE. Declared OBBA students are only allowed to register for OBBA courses. Therefore, students must fully COMPLETE the IFP requirements before entering an online BBA major. Students with an AA (Associate of Arts) degree from a regionally accredited Florida Public Institution are deemed to have met the IFP. Students may particularly be deficient in meeting FAU’s Writing Across the Curriculum (WAC) requirement, which requires that four courses within the IFP we designated as WAC courses. Since the OBBA program does includes one WAC course, only three WAC designated courses need to be done before entering the OBBA program. The IFP course details sheet (see link above) shows FAU’s WAC courses by displaying “(WAC)” after them.

- Have a minimum FAU- GPA of 2.50.
- COMPLETE all seven of the Pre-business (PBUS) foundation courses with minimum grades of “C” or better. The PBUS courses taught by the College of Business are generally offered in Lecture Capture Video Stream format (attendance is optional but the final exam may not be online) at FAU:
  - ACG 2021 Financial Accounting
  - ACG 2071 Managerial Accounting (Pre: ACG 2021)
  - MAC 2233 Methods of Calculus
  - STA 2023 Introductory Statistics
  - ECO 2013 Macroeconomics
  - ECO 2023 Microeconomics
  - ISM 2000 Information Systems Fundamentals (may be called CGS1100, CGS1570, CGS1060 at other schools)

- Complete proof of proficiency in a foreign-language. An AA-degree does NOT prove this requirement. Foreign language may be met with: official U.S. high school transcripts showing two years of passing grades in the same language at different levels, or by college level course work through the 2nd semester or higher of a foreign language, or equivalent native proficiency.

SUMMARY: Admission to FAU, does not guarantee admission into your major/program. To declare an OBBA major, students must have a minimum of 60 credits, completed all IFP courses, have a 2.50 FAU-GPA or higher, completed all 7 Pre-business Foundation Courses and shown proof of foreign language proficiency. Once these 1st and 2nd year degree requirements are done then the OBBA program offers the 3rd and 4th year of upper-division business courses for the College of Business degree as fully online.

The College of Business offers the following three major as part of the OBBA program: Accounting (OACG), Management: leadership (OMAN), and Marketing: general (OMAR). Once the PBUS student is eligible to declare an OBBA major, then they may complete the University’s “Undergraduate Change of Major” form, which is available at this website: http://business.fau.edu/masters-phd/current-students/forms/index.aspx as form #7.

Additionally, PBUS students who have not yet completed all the above requirements may also matriculate into a very limited number of upper-division business courses:

- Introduction to Management & Organizational Behavior: MAN 3025 (Pre: 60hrs)
- Marketing Management: MAR 3023 (Pre: 60hrs; ECO 2013 & ECO 2023)
- Financial Management: FIN 3403 (Pre: 60hrs; ACG 2021 & ACG 2071)
- Money and Banking: ECO 4223 (Pre: ECO 2013 and ECO 2023)
- Business Law I: BUL 4421 (Pre: 60hrs)

Students with a FAU Institution GPA or a Transfer GPA below 2.50 will not be accepted to the OBBA program. Students with a 2.50 GPA but who are missing Pre-business Foundation courses must COMPLETE missing courses before applying to declare an OBBA major.

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