

## International Business Program (BBA or BS)

The following information is a general overview of the program for students in **the Summer 25** catalog or earlier. Speak with your advisor if you are unsure of your catalog. Reviewing this sheet is NOT a replacement for advising meetings which are recommended twice per year; **students are NOT encouraged to self-advise.**

Requirements and course offerings may change for students not yet admitted or declared. The BBA degree also has a **fully online option**. The BS degree requires an additional six hours of advanced math. Note for **Second Bachelor's** Students: FLENT, Gen Ed, and *some* electives are not required.

### Important Academic Policies

Please visit [www.business.fau.edu/academicpolicies](http://www.business.fau.edu/academicpolicies). It is especially important for prospective business majors to be aware of:

- **Limitation on Repeated Courses**  
(max two attempts per course)
- **Limitation on Number of Withdrawals**
- **Deadlines to Declare a Major**

### Requirements for All FAU Bachelor's Degree Programs

Requirement	Description
Free electives to reach minimum 120 credits	Verify with your advisor how many free electives (if any) you need to graduate
Foreign Language Admission Requirement (FLENT)	Two passing years of the same high school foreign language or accepted equivalent
Civic Literacy (entering FL SUS or SCS Fa18 or later)	<a href="http://www.fau.edu/ugstudies">www.fau.edu/ugstudies</a> and click "Civic Literacy"

### General Education (Gen Ed) Requirements

The pre-business foundation courses and Civic Literacy satisfy many Gen Eds (formerly known as IFP), but the following additional coursework is required. Students with an AA (Associate of Arts) degree from a regionally accredited Florida Public Institution are deemed to have met the Gen Ed Requirement. To view the Gen Ed checklist, visit [www.fau.edu/uas/curriculum](http://www.fau.edu/uas/curriculum) and scroll down to "Business."

Category	Required Credits	Notes
Natural Science	6 credits	One course must include a lab
Humanities	6 credits	Choose one Writing Across the Curriculum (WAC) course
Additional Enrichment	3 credits*	*If exempt from Civic Literacy credits, take 6 cr Add'l Enrichment

### Pre-Business Foundation Courses (2.5 GPA Required in the Courses Below; Minimum Grade "C")

Course Title	Prefix and Number	Pre-requisites (Minimum Grade of "C")
College Writing I	ENC1101	
College Writing II	ENC1102	ENC1101
Accounting I (Financial)	ACG2021	
Accounting II (Managerial)	ACG2071	ACG2021
Macroeconomics	ECO2013	
Microeconomics	ECO2023	
Methods of Calculus	MAC2233	MAC1105 or ALEKS score 45
Introductory Statistics	STA2023	MAC1105, MGF1106, MGF1130, MAC2233, or ALEKS score 30
Information Systems Fundamentals	ISM2000	

### Requirements to Declare the Major and Timely Graduation

To declare International Business (INBU), students must have satisfied FLENT, satisfied Civic Literacy, and achieved a minimum 2.5 GPA in the Pre-Bus Foundation. For timely graduation, students should plan courses in consultation with an academic advisor, create a balance between taking business core and major courses each semester, and prioritize major courses as they are not offered every term.

### Business Core Courses (Minimum Grade "C")

Course or Requirement Title	Prefix and Number	Pre-requisites (Minimum Grade "C")
Management of Organizations	MAN3025	60 cr (54 cr w/ approval; 45 cr w/ approval if pbus/gen ed complete)
Principles of Marketing	MAR3023	30 credits
Financial Management	FIN3403	60 cr (54 cr w/advisor approval); ACG2021 & ACG2071
Business Law 1	BUL4421	60 credits
Choose <b>ONE</b> international economics course: International Economic Development International Economics International Trade International Monetary Economics	Choose <b>ONE</b> : ECS3013 ECO3703* ECO4704 ECO4713	ECO2013 & ECO2023 Declared in major; ECO2013 & ECO2023 Declared in major; ECO3101 Declared in major; ECO3203
Management Information Systems	ISM3011	30 credits; ISM2000
Bus. Communication: Crit. Analysis & App.	GEB3213	Declared in major; 60 credits
Quantitative Methods in Administration	QMB3600	Declared in major; 60 credits; MAC2233 and STA2023
Operations Management	MAN3506	Declared in major; 60 credits; MAN3025 and QMB3600
Global Strategy and Policy	MAN4720	Declared in major; 90 credits; MAN3025, MAR3023, FIN3403, GEB3213, QMB3600, and MAN3506

\*ECO3703 can never be used for an Economics major

## International Business Major Courses (Minimum Grade "C")

Course or Requirement Title	Prefix and Number	Pre-requisites (Minimum Grade "C")
International Business	MAN3600	Declared in major; 60 credits
Global Human Resource Management	MAN4610	MAN3025
International Marketing	MAR4156	Declared in major; 60 credits; MAR3023
International Finance	FIN4604	Declared in major; FIN3403
International Business Operations <b>Important:</b> not offered in summers	MAN4602	Declared in major; MAN3600, MAR3023, and FIN3403
Choose <b>ONE</b> International Cognate: Negotiations in a Globalized World International Economic Development International Trade International Monetary Economics Law of International Trade International Healthcare Systems Global Supply Chain Management Special Topics (subject matter varies) International Internship 3000 or 4000 level foreign language course Study Abroad or Foreign Seminar	<b>Choose ONE:</b> MAN3442 ECS3013* ECO4704* ECO4713* BUL4461 HSA4124 MAN4597 MAN4930 MAN4940 Varies Varies	60 credits; MAN3025 (or alternate per catalog) ECO2013 & ECO2023 Declared in major; ECO3101 Declared in major; ECO3203 Declared in major HSA3111 Declared in major; 60 credits Declared in major; 60 credits Speak with a career advisor for details Varies; check university catalog Speak with study abroad advisor for details

\*Students CANNOT use the same int'l econ course to satisfy both the core economics requirement and the International Cognate.

## Upper Division Business Elective (UDBE): Minimum One Course Required

Requirement	Suggested Option: Internship
All business core majors must complete 51 credits (17 courses) of upper division business coursework. INBU requires 16 courses in the core and the major; the 17 <sup>th</sup> course is an elective chosen by the student. Choose <b>ONE</b> 3000 or 4000 level business course not already taken in the core or major.	Students interested in an internship as their Business Elective may schedule an appointment with the College of Business Career Development and Internship Coordinator.

## Foreign Language Graduation Requirement (FLEX)

Requirement
Students must complete through the 2 <sup>nd</sup> semester of college level foreign language coursework or test out of language proficiency. More information is available in the university catalog or from academic advising.

## About International Business

The International Business major empowers students to contribute and engage in organizations and communities in a global business environment. Students develop an understanding of cross-border relationships inherent in the multinational enterprise (MNE), as well as the institutional, financial, sociocultural, and sociopolitical contexts surrounding the MNE. Career opportunities include foreign exchange risk management, developing export markets, global staffing, and more.

## Additional Information and Resources

- **College of Business Student Academic Services**
  - Current students can make an appointment with an academic advisor or a career advisor via [www.fau.edu/successnetwork](http://www.fau.edu/successnetwork).
  - Prospective students can call in for assistance making an appointment
    - Boca: 561-297-3688
    - Davie: 954-236-1290
  - [www.business.fau.edu](http://www.business.fau.edu) | [COBAdvising@fau.edu](mailto:COBAdvising@fau.edu) | [businessintern@fau.edu](mailto:businessintern@fau.edu)
- **International Business Program:** <https://business.fau.edu/undergraduate/majors/international-business/>
- **Education Abroad:** <https://business.fau.edu/undergraduate/current-students/education-abroad/>
- **Graduate Programs:** [www.business.fau.edu/masters](http://www.business.fau.edu/masters)
- **Combined Bachelor's/Master's Program:** [www.fau.edu/graduate/pathways](http://www.fau.edu/graduate/pathways) and click on [International Business](#)