

GOVERNORS STATE UNIVERSITY
College of Business and Public Administration
Academic Advising Office 708-534-4391
Master of Business Administration (MBA) Student Study Plan

Name _____ Student ID # _____

PREREQUISITE COMPETENCIES

Students will be expected to show evidence of appropriate course work in the following areas, grade of "B" or higher required:

College Algebra Math 325 _____, Calculus Math 355 _____, Computing Skills _____

Written Communications _____

FOUNDATION COURSES ----- 15 HOURS

The schedule is based on these courses being completed prior to taking core courses. Grade of "B" or higher required.

ACCT 601	Fnds of Account & Finance or (ACCT 301, 302, FIN 301)	3 _____
ECON 601	Fnds of Economics or (ECON 301, 302)	3 _____
MIS 610	Info Systems for Managers or (MIS 301, 370)	3 _____
MGMT 601	Fnds of Management or (MGMT 301, MKTG 301)	3 _____
MGMT610	Fnds of Managerial Statistics or (STAT 361, 362)	3 _____

SUMMARY OF HOURS REQUIRED

Foundation Hours Completed _____

Graduate Transfer Hours Accepted _____

Hours Required At GSU _____

Total Hours Required (33 hrs minimum) _____

GMAT DATE _____

GMAT SCORE _____

BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION CORE COURSES ----- 24 HOURS

ACCT 801	Strategic Management Accounting (ACCT 601)	3 _____
Or ACCT *	_____	3 _____
ECON 801	Managerial Economics and Forecasting (ECON 601, MGMT 610)	3 _____
FIN 801	Financial Management (ACCT 601)	3 _____
MGMT 810	Org. Behavior in the Global Context (MGMT 601)	3 _____
MGMT 830	International Business (MGMT 301)	3 _____
MGMT 840	Operations Mgmt.: Strat. & Techn. (MGMT 601 & 610)	3 _____
MIS 800	Information Systems and Technology (MGMT 601)	3 _____
MKTG 801	Strategic Marketing (ECON 601, MGMT 601 & 610)	3 _____

CANDIDACY REQUIREMENT

Date Candidacy Approved _____

- 1) Satisfy all conditions of admission.
- 2) Maintain an overall G.P.A. of at least 3.0 (on a 4.0 scale). For all course work completed at Governors State University as a graduate student with no more than two grades of "C" in all required course work.
- 3) Complete all foundation courses and prerequisite competencies with a grade of "B" or higher in each course.
- 4) Apply for candidacy after earning a minimum of 9 and a maximum of 12 graduate credit-hours (beyond foundation course work). Students who complete more than 15 hours of degree requirements before attaining candidacy status may still be required to complete up to 18 additional hours, approved by the Dean, as a candidate before being approved for graduation by the college.

* Students with an accounting background must take ACCT 815, 831, or 861.

CAREER SELECTIVES OR SPECIALIZATION----- 9 HOURS

3 options: 1) select a specialization from the catalog; 2) select 9 hours from any CBPA courses 700 or above from ACCT, ENTR, FINE, MGMT, MKTG, MIS or PADM; 3) select 9 hours of a group of specific courses to customize a specialization. Specializations are not printed on diplomas or transcripts.

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FINAL PROJECT ----- 3 HOURS

MGMT 849 Business Policy & Strategy (application required) 3 _____

Total Graduate Hours for Degree ----- 36 Hours

I understand that I am responsible for **applying for graduation** with the Registrar by the first day of my final semester.

Student _____ Date _____

Advisor _____ Date _____