

University of Wyoming Sample Four-Year Degree Plan
Catalog Year: 2018-19

Finance, BS



This sample degree plan is a guide, to be used for planning in consultation with your academic advisor. Actual course sequence may vary by student. A ▲ symbol identifies courses that must be taken and passed during the suggested semester in order for a student to stay on track toward completing the degree program within four years.

Sequence	Course Prefix	Course Number	Course Title	Credit Hours	Min Grade	Notes
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Freshman Fall Semester

			USP First-Year Seminar	3	C	FY
▲	ACCT	1010	Principles of Accounting I ¹	3	C	
	ECON	1010	Principles of Macroeconomics ¹	3	C	H; can take ECON 1020 (Principles of Microeconomics).
	ENGL	1010	College Composition and Rhetoric ¹	3	C	C1
	MATH	1400	College Algebra ²	3	C	Q
Credit hours subtotal:				15		

Freshman Spring Semester

▲	ACCT	1020	Principles of Accounting II ¹	3	C	
	ECON	1020	Principles of Microeconomics ¹	3	C	H; can take ECON 1010 (Principles of Macroeconomics).
	MGT	1040	Legal Environment of Business ³	3	C	
	MATH	1405	Trigonometry	3		
	STAT	2050	Fundamentals of Statistics ¹	4	C	Can substitute STAT 2070 (Intro Stat for the Social Sciences).
Credit hours subtotal:				16		

Sophomore Fall Semester

			USP Communication 2 ¹	3	C	C2
			USP Physical & Natural World	3		PN
▲	FIN	3250	Corporate Finance ³	3	C	
	IMGT	2400	Introduction to Information Management ¹	3	C	
	MATH	2200	Calculus I ¹	4	C	
Credit hours subtotal:				16		

Sophomore Spring Semester

			USP US & Wyoming Constitutions	3		V
▲	ACCT	3100	Financial Statement Analysis ³	3	C	
	MATH	2205	Calculus II ¹	4	C	
	MGT	3210	Management and Organization ³	3	C	Can take MKT 3210 (Introduction to Marketing).
			Non-Business Elective	3		
Credit hours subtotal:				16		

This sample degree plan is a guide for course work in the major. • Course sequencing may need to be altered if ACT or Math Placement scores require a student to take pre-college courses before taking required math or English courses. • Not all courses are offered every semester and some electives may have prerequisites. Students should review course descriptions in the *University Catalog* and consult with their academic advisor to plan accordingly.

University of Wyoming requirements:

Students must have a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.00 to graduate. • Students must complete 42 hours of upper division (3000-level or above) coursework, 30 of which must be from the University of Wyoming. • Courses must be taken for a letter grade unless offered only for S/U. • University Studies Program (USP) Human Culture (H) and Physical & Natural World (PN) courses must be taken outside of the major subject, but can be cross-listed with the major.

College of Business requirements:

This program has been formulated to meet the requirements of the College of Business and the Association to Advance Collegiate Schools of Business (AACSB) International. • A 2.50 grade point average is required in all College of Business courses to graduate. • A 2.50 grade point average is required in all UW courses for Advanced Business Standing and graduation. • 50% of business credit hours must be from UW. • A grade of C or above required for common body of knowledge and major specific core courses. • A maximum of six (6) hours of freshman/sophomore-level military science and a maximum of six (6) hours of junior/senior-level military science may be applied to degrees in the College of Business.

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Junior Fall Semester

			USP Physical & Natural World	3		PN
▲	FIN	3310	Investment Management ³	3	C	
▲	FIN	3520	Financial Markets and Institutions ³	3	C	
	MKT	3210	Introduction to Marketing ³	3	C	Can take MGT 3210 (Management and Organization).
			Elective	3		
Credit hours subtotal:				15		

Junior Spring Semester

	DSCI	3210	Intro to Operations & Supply Chain Mgmt ³	3	C	
▲	FIN	4400	Empirical Finance ³	3	C	
			Upper Division Finance Elective ^{3^}	3	C	
			Upper Division Accounting, Economics, or Finance	3	C	
			Elective (restricted elective) ^{3^^}			
			Elective	3		
Credit hours subtotal:				15		

Senior Fall Semester

			Upper Division Finance Elective ^{3^}	6	C	
			Upper Division Accounting, Economics, or Finance	3	C	
			Elective (restricted elective) ^{3^^}			
			Elective	6		
Credit hours subtotal:				15		

Senior Spring Semester

▲	FIN	4250	Advanced Corporate Finance ³	3	C	
▲	FIN	4600	Ethics in Finance ³	3	C	C3
▲	MGT	4800	Business Strategy & Policy ³	3	C	Passing MGT 4800 includes a passing score on the ETS standardized test for COB majors.
			Elective	3		
Credit hours subtotal:				12		

TOTAL CREDIT HOURS 120

Finance Program notes:

[^]Upper Division Finance Elective. Finance Electives at the 4000-level which have not been used to meet any other requirement (excludes FIN 4100); select three (3) 4000-level Finance courses. **9 Hours Required.**

Banking Management Track

FIN 4510 Bank Management
FIN 4540 Banking Policy
IMGT 4020 Information Security

Corporate Finance Track

FIN 4420 Capital Allocation
FIN 4460 Multinational Finance
FIN 4560 Entrepreneurial Accounting and Finance (cross-listed with MGT 4560)

Investment Management Track

FIN 4340 Portfolio Management I
FIN 4350 Portfolio Management II
FIN 4360 Options and Futures

^{^^}Upper Division Accounting, Economics, or Finance Elective (restricted). Restricted College of Business Electives at the 3000/4000-level which have not been used to meet any other requirement. **6 Hours Required.** Must be a 3000/4000-level elective in Accounting, Finance, or Economics area (excludes FIN 4100). Students who plan to continue working toward an MS/PhD in Finance or Economics should take ECON 3010, ECON 3020, and ECON 4240.

¹ Component of Advanced Business Standing.

² Requires MATH ACT ≥ 23, MATH SAT ≥ 600, Math Placement Exam ≥ 3, or ≥ C grade in MATH 0925.

³ Common Body of Knowledge or Major Specific Core.