

B.A. in Business and Political Science Enhanced Academic Plan

B.A. in Business and Political Science - CWILT

Recommended Courses				
Fall Semester 1	Interim Semester 1	Spring Semester 1	Career Planning and Preparation	R.E.A.L. Experience
BUS 106 Introduction to Business Applications	Contemporary Western Life and Thought (L) course	ECO 201 Principles of Economics	PHASE 1: EXPLORE	Create your R.E.A.L. Portfolio Consider joining BBEA, The College Democrats, The College Republicans, or another club or ministry of interest. Consider finding a mentor.
BUS 130 or 100M Business Problem Solving		BIB 101 Introduction to the Bible	<i>Explore self, careers, & God's call</i>	
GES 125 Introduction to Creative Arts		GES 140 Introduction to Wellbeing	Take a Career Assessment	
POS 100 or 202U American Politics and Government or Introduction to International Relations		GES 160 Inquiry Seminar	Research Careers: O*Net, Candid Careers, & informational interviews w/ Alums	
GES 130 Christianity Western Culture		Political Science Area Choice	Gain Experience: Part-time job; Campus Involvement (e.g. student club); Volunteering	
15	3	16		

MILESTONES: Consider study abroad options

Recommended Courses				
Fall Semester 2	Interim Semester 2	Spring Semester 2	Career Planning and Preparation	R.E.A.L. Experience
THE 201 Christian Theology	Elective	POS 211 The Political Quest	PHASE 1&2: EXPLORE/EXPERIENCE	Continue adding artifacts and reflections to your R.E.A.L. Portfolio. Consider taking a leadership position with a student club. Consider going on a spring break mission trip.
MAT 207M Statistical Analysis		Business course*2	<i>Finalize major if necessary & begin gaining experience</i>	
Business course*2		Economics elective (excluding ECO200)	Create/update Resume & LinkedIn	
Second Language (S) course		Laboratory Science (D) course	Build professional network (e.g. informational interviews)	
		Leisure and Lifetime Sports (Q) course	Attend Spring Career Fair	
14			15	Obtain Internship or relevant job by summer

MILESTONES: Consider doing an online course over the summer

Recommended Courses				
Fall Semester 3	Interim Semester 3	Spring Semester 3	Career Planning and Preparation	R.E.A.L. Experience
BUS 326 Principles of Business Information Systems	Elective	POS 306 Public Administration	PHASE 2: EXPERIENCE	Review your R.E.A.L. Portfolio and prepare to make it public. Consider studying abroad. Consider applying for a Student Leadership Position in Student Life. Consider being a TA for a favorite class.
Business course*2		Artistic Experience (A) course	<i>Use experiences to narrow down career choice & develop relevant skills</i>	
Political Science area choice		Comparative Systems (G) course	Participate in Fall & Spring Recruiting to obtain an internship	
Interpreting Biblical Themes (J) course		Political Science area choice	Schedule a Mock Interview	
World Cultures (U) course or elective		Electives	Explore Grad Schools & Take Entrance Exams (e.g. GRE) if necessary	
16	3	12-15	Expand Professional Network	

MILESTONE: A minimum 3.2 GPA in your major is a good goal to strive for

Recommended Courses				
Fall Semester 4	Interim Semester 4	Spring Semester 4	Career Planning and Preparation	R.E.A.L. Experience
POS 499 Senior Seminar	Interim Off	Contemporary Christian Issues (P) course	PHASE 3: EXECUTE	Continue updating your public R.E.A.L. Portfolio with relevant experiences and reflection. Consider mentoring an underclassman.
Business course*2		Electives	<i>Execute an effective job or grad school search</i>	
Science, Technology and Society (K) course			Participate in Fall and Spring Recruiting	
Cross Cultural Experience (Z) course			Apply for Graduate School if necessary	
Elective			Expand Professional Network	
14-17	0	15		

Total Credits: 126-132

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2. Choose from: BUS 210 Financial Accounting, BUS 220 Principles of Marketing, BUS 230 Principles of Management, BUS 344 Managerial Finance, BUS 361 Business Law.

This program assumes a student will use MAT 207M to meet the general education Mathematics requirement.

Most financial aid packages stipulate 12 credits/semester; Minnesota state grants are reduced when credit load falls below 15 credits/semester. (Interim credits may be split between fall and spring for state grant purposes only.)

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B.A. in Business and Political Science - Humanities

Recommended Courses					R.E.A.L. Experience
Fall Semester 1	Interim Semester 1	Spring Semester 1	Career Planning and Preparation		
BUS 106 Introduction to Business Applications	GES 147 Humanities II: Renaissance and Reformation	BIB 101 Introduction to the Bible	<p>PHASE 1: EXPLORE</p> <p><i>Explore self, careers, & God's call</i></p> <p>Take a Career Assessment Research Careers: O*Net, Candid Careers, & informational interviews w/ Alums Gain Experience: Part-time job; Campus Involvement (e.g. student club); Volunteering</p>		<p>Create your R.E.A.L. Portfolio Consider joining BBEA, The College Democrats, The College Republicans, or another club or ministry of interest.</p> <p>Consider finding a mentor</p>
BUS 130 or 100M Business Problem Solving		MAT 207M Statistical Analysis			
ECO 201 Principles of Economics		GES 244 Humanities III: European Enlightenment and American Culture to 1877			
GES 145 Humanities I: Greco-Roman through Middle Ages		GES 140 Introduction to Wellbeing			
POS 100 or 202U American Politics and Government		Elective			
15	4	16	MILESTONES: Consider study abroad options		

Recommended Courses					R.E.A.L. Experience
Fall Semester 2	Interim Semester 2	Spring Semester 2	Career Planning and Preparation		
GES 246 Humanities IV: Modern and Contemporary Western Culture	Elective	POS 211 The Political Quest	<p>PHASE 1&2: EXPLORE/EXPERIENCE</p> <p><i>Finalize major if necessary & begin gaining experience</i></p> <p>Create/update Resume & LinkedIn Build professional network (e.g. informational interviews) Attend Spring Career Fair Obtain Internship or relevant job by summer</p>		<p>Continue adding artifacts and reflections to your R.E.A.L. Portfolio. Consider taking a leadership position with a student club.</p> <p>Consider going on a spring break mission trip.</p>
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