

# **BUSINESS MANAGEMENT**

# Program Number 10-102-3 Associate Degree in Applied Science • Four Terms

Catalog No. Class Title

#### **ABOUT THE PROGRAM**

Business managers are found in every sector of the economy in nearly all work settings from manufacturing to health care. The Business Management program provides graduates with the knowledge and skills for positions such as an entry-level manager, office manager, shift coordinator, or team leader, or graduates may start their own business. The successful business manager oversees day-to-day activities and leads the team or organization to the next level of performance. Managers plan, organize, direct, and control the tasks that carry out the work of the business or nonprofit organization. If you set goals for yourself and strive to accomplish them, prefer working with others rather than alone, enjoy serving as a leader even if it means more work, and want to improve your skills and promotion potential, then a career in business management may be a good choice for you.

#### **PROGRAM OUTCOMES**

- Plan the operation of a business across functional areas.
- Organize resources to achieve the goals of the organization.
- Direct individuals and/or processes to meet organizational goals.
- Control business processes.

#### CAREER AND EDUCATION ADVANCEMENT OPPORTUNITIES

LTC credits transfer to over 30 universities. For more information visit gotoltc.edu/ future-students/transfer.

### ADMISSIONS AND FIRST SEMESTER ENROLLMENT STEPS

- Submit online application.
- Complete the online Student Success Questionnaire.
- Schedule a Program Counseling Session with your assigned program counselor to plan your first semester schedule, review your entire plan of study, discuss the results of the Student Success Questionnaire.
- \*Submit transcripts and test scores (optional, highly recommended): College transcripts, along with high school transcripts and test scores from within the last five years, used for course registration. Official transcripts needed for transferring college credit(s) and for financial aid purposes.

## **APPROXIMATE COSTS**

• \$141 per credit tuition (WI resident) plus \$8.46 per credit student activity fee. Material fee varies depending on course. Other fees vary by program. Visit gotoltc.edu/financial-aid/tuition-and-fees for details.

#### **FINANCIAL AID**

This program is eligible for financial aid. Visit gotoltc.edu/Financial-Aid or talk with your Admissions Advisor about how to apply for aid.

#### SPECIAL NOTE

Students are encouraged to complete Excel - Level 1 prior to Business Accounting.

### CONTACT

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10103121 10103191 10196189 10102110 10801195 10804123	Term 1  Excel - Level I  Word - Level I  Team Building and Problem Solving Introduction to Business  Written Communication OR 10801136  English Composition 1  Math with Business Applications	1 3 3 3 14
10101131 10105128 10196193 10104102 10801198	Term 2 Business Accounting Personal Branding Human Resource Management Marketing, Principles of Speech OR 10801196 Oral/Interpersonal Communication	4 2 3 3 3 4
10101107 10182102 10182108 10809195 10809198	Term 3 Managerial Accounting Service Operations Management Purchasing Economics Introduction to Psychology	4 3 3 3 16
10102107 10102123 10196188 10102160 10809122	Term 4 Internship - Business Management OR 10138101 Introduction to Global Business Business Management-Capstone Project Management Business Law 1 Introduction to American Government	3 3 3 3 15

**TOTAL 60** 

Credit(s)

Curriculum and Program Acceptance requirements are subject to change. Program start dates vary; check with your advisor for details. The tuition and fees are approximate based on 2020-2021 rates and are subject to change prior to the start of the academic year. BUSINESS ACCOUNTING...introduces Business Management students to the core concepts of accounting and how a manager uses accounting in running a business. The student will also learn how to use financial statements to manage a business.

BUSINESS LAW 1...provides the learner with the skills to summarize the American legal system; diagram the state/federal court systems; evaluate dispute resolution methods; sequence the civil litigation process; summarize the administrative agencies; differentiatecivil and criminal law; apply theories of negligence, intentional tort, and product liability; summarize elements of a contract; assess the validity of a contract; assess third-party rights and available remedies; and summarize Article II of the UCC.

BUSINESS MANAGEMENT-CAPSTONE...assesses the role of business, its internal structure and its relationship to the external environment. Each learner analyzes the functions of business planning, information systems, operations management, information technology, marketing and how they interact and drive business activities. Students recognize what they have learned throughout the program. They assemble a portfolio using research, samples of their best work, and reflection papers to analyze their attainment of college core abilities. PREREQUISITES: 10102110 Intro to Business, 10104102 Principles of Marketing, 10196193 Human Resource Management and COREQUISITE: 10101131 Business Accounting

ECONOMICS...provides the participant with an overview of how a market-oriented economic system operates, and it surveys the factors which influence national economic policy. Basic concepts and analyses are illustrated by reference to a variety of contemporary problems and public policy issues. Concepts include scarcity, resources, alternative economic systems. growth, supply and demand, monetary and fiscal policy, inflation, unemployment and global economic issues. COREQUISITE: 10838105 Intro to Reading and Study Skills or Reading placement assessment equivalent or CONDITION: 610062 Agribusiness/Financial Basic program admissions met

**EXCEL - LEVEL 1...**introduces the student to spreadsheet features such as creating, saving, editing, navigating, formatting worksheets; entering formulas and functions; working with charts; and developing multiple-sheet workbooks.

HUMAN RESOURCE MANAGEMENT...applies the skills/tools necessary to effectively value and apply employees' abilities and needs to organization goals. Learners will demonstrate the application of the supervisor's role in contemporary human resources management, impacts of EEOC, writing job descriptions, recruitment, selection, conducting job interviews, orientation, developing policies/procedures, training, performance management, employee counseling/development, and effective use of compensation and benefit strategies.

INTERNSHIP-BUSINESS MANAGEMENT...requires students to complete 216 hours of performing work in a business/industrial service setting related to their Business Management program objectives. Students are responsible for seeking and obtaining the internship position. Course requirements include maintaining a log of work activities, identifying and receiving approval from the job supervisor and instructor, and completing a work-related project. Students may meet periodically at LTC. PREREQUISITES: 10102110 Intro to Business, 10104102 Principles of Management, 10196193 Human Resource Management and COREQUISITES: 10101131 Business Accounting and 10102123 Business Management Capstone

INTRODUCTION TO AMERICAN GOVERNMENT...introduces American political processes and institutions. It focuses on rights and responsibilities of citizens and the process of participatory democracy. Learners examine the complexity of the separation of powers and checks and balances. It explores the role of the media, interest groups, political parties and public opinion in the political process. It also explores the role of state and national government in our federal system. COREQUISITE: 10838105 Intro to Reading and Study Skills or Reading placement assessment equivalent

**INTRODUCTION TO BUSINESS...**provides an introduction to the world of business from both the organizational and managerial viewpoint. It examines areas of business including the business environment, business formation, planning, operations, accounting, marketing, human resource management, and building effective teams.

INTRODUCTION TO PSYCHOLOGY...introduces students to a survey of the multiple aspects of human behavior. It involves a survey of the theoretical foundations of human functioning in such areas as learning, motivation, emotions, personality, deviance and pathology, physiological factors, and social influences. It directs the student to an insightful understanding of the complexities of human relationships in personal, social, and vocational settings. PREREQUISITE: Reading placement assessment equivalent or COREQUISITE: 10838105 Intro to Reading and Study Skills

MANAGERIAL ACCOUNTING...prepares the learner to analyze financial performance; prepare and evaluate budgets; and compare and manage capital. (Accounting students will require the Accounting 1 prerequisite requirement for this course.) PREREQUISITE: 10101131 Business Accounting or 10101111 Accounting 1

MARKETING, PRINCIPLES OF...introduces the student to the consumer decision process model, the bases used to segment a market, basic concepts about goods, services, and ideas, the nature of supply chain and distribution, integrated marketing communications, and the stages of the product life cycle and their impact on the marketing mix. COREQUISITE: 10104104 Selling Strategies or CONDITION: 101023 Business Management enrollment requirements met

MATH WITH BUSINESS APPLICATIONS...covers real numbers, basic operations, linear equations, proportions with one variable, percents, simple interest, compound interest, annuity, apply math concepts to the purchasing/buying process, apply math concepts to the selling process, and basic statistics with business/consumer applications. PREREQUISITE: 10834109 Pre-Algebra or Math placement assessment equivalent and COREQUISITE: 10838105 Intro to Reading and Study Skills or Reading placement assessment equivalent or CONDITION: 610061 Agribusiness/Agronomy Basic program admissions requirements met

PERSONAL BRANDING...focuses on the importance of developing a strong brand identity for yourself as a professional. As a prospective employee, you are constantly selling yourself from how you talk, walk, dress, your facial expressions, and your body language; people are always forming impressions of you. In this course, you will develop a professional resume, cover letter, practice interview skills, and learn the role of social media in career development.

PROJECT MANAGEMENT...introduces the learner to explore the relationship of existing and emerging processes and technologies to manufacturing strategy and supply chain-related functions. This course addresses three main topics: aligning resources with the strategic plan, configuring and integrating operating processes to support the strategic plan, and implementing change.

PURCHASING...introduces the participant to basic purchasing, quality specifications, inventory control, supplier selection, price aspects, research and measurement, negotiation, and global purchasing. This course is exciting for anyone interested in working in a challenging and rewarding purchasing and supply chain management career

SERVICE OPERATIONS MANAGEMENT...introduces the student to the basic coverage of the concepts and current issues in service operation management. Topics include the value equation in operations management; understanding services; building the service system; operating the service system; enterprise resource management (ERP) and supply chain management concepts in the service sector.

SPEECH...explores the fundamentals of effective oral presentation to small and large groups. Topic selection, audience analysis, methods of organization, research, structuring evidence and support, delivery techniques, and other essential elements of speaking successfully, including the listening process, form the basis of the course. COREQUISITE: 10838105 Intro Reading and Study Skills or Reading placement assessment equivalent

**TEAMBUILDING AND PROBLEM SOLVING...** applies the skills and tools necessary to facilitate problem solving in a team environment. Each learner will demonstrate the application of the benefits and challenges of group work, necessary roles in a team, stages of team development, different approaches to problem solving, consensus, a systematic process of problem definition, data acquisition, analysis, developing alternative solutions, solution implementation, and evaluation.

WORD - LEVEL 1...introduces the student to word processing features such as creating, saving, editing, navigating, and formatting the content of multi-page documents.

WRITTEN COMMUNICATION...teaches the writing process, which includes prewriting, drafting, revising, and editing. Through a variety of writing assignments, the student will analyze audience and purpose, research and organize ideas, and format and design documents based on subject matter and content. Keyboarding skills are required for this course. It also develops critical reading and thinking skills through the analysis of a variety of written documents. PREREQUISITE: 10831103 Intro to College Wrtg or Writing placement assessment equivalent and COREQUISITE: 10838105 Intro to Rdg & Study Skills or Reading placement assessment equivalent