

Statewide Business Course Articulation Matrix, AY 2008-09



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STATEWIDE BUSINESS COURSE ARTICULATION MATRIX
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Numerous course transfer (“equivalency”) agreements exist among Louisiana's public postsecondary institutions. For coursework in Business, a matrix representing such agreements appears below.

The purpose of the matrix is to list only those courses about which there is broadest range of agreement. It is *not* an exhaustive list of all articulation agreements among the state's institutions, public or private, and should not be used by anyone as if it were.

The prerogative for accepting a course for degree, general education, or elective credit belongs to the institution to which a student intends to transfer (the “receiving institution”). Students are therefore urged to contact the appropriate department or unit at the receiving institution for definitive answers to the following questions:

- how a course will transfer;
- whether the course will count toward a particular major, and under what conditions (e.g., if a letter grade of "C" or better is required for the course to count for degree credit);
- requirements for school accreditation, which may preclude some courses from being accepted for credit; and
- any other articulation agreements that may exist between schools.

The role of the Board of Regents is not to decide course equivalency questions, but to coordinate, monitor, and publish the broadest areas of agreement about these questions among the state's public institutions. Matrices for other areas (e.g., General Education and Natural Sciences) can be found on the Board of Regents' website (www.regents.state.la.us).

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How to use this matrix

The leftmost column of the matrices below shows a list of generic (“crosswalk”) course names. Each additional column shows the course at a particular institution which corresponds to a given crosswalk course name. If a course appears in the institution's column, other institutions in that matrix have agreed that the course is equivalent to their own, which is listed in their own columns.

If a course does *not* appear in an institution's column, not enough institutions have decided that the course is indeed equivalent to their own. As a general rule, to appear on a statewide matrix, a course must be deemed acceptable by *at least half* of the public postsecondary institutions in the state in that matrix category.

Sometimes a course may be listed as acceptable only under certain conditions. Conditions and other relevant information is denoted as follows:

A footnote number beside a *crosswalk* course name alerts students to additional general information or guidance about courses in that row.

A footnote number beside an *institution's* course generally means that the course may not be accepted as an equivalent course by one other institution. Information about that course is detailed in the corresponding endnote.

An asterisk (*) beside an institution's course in the matrix means that two or more institutions do not accept the course as an equivalent course. A student should contact the registrar or admissions unit at the institution to which he or she intends to transfer to inquire about the potential transferability of the course and to determine whether the course will count toward credit in a particular major.

A double asterisk (**) beside a crosswalk course (e.g. English Literature I **) signifies that courses in this row are upper division courses at some institutions and lower division courses at other institutions. Typically, courses taken at two-year institutions and 100/1000 and 200/2000 level courses taken at four-year institutions will not transfer as upper division courses. Students are urged to contact the institution to which they intend to transfer for details.

A plus sign (+) beside a crosswalk course denotes that students are strongly advised to complete a lecture and lab *sequence* of natural science courses to maximize transfer of credit for general education purposes at another institution.

A hash mark (#) beside an institution's course in language (e.g. Spanish) denotes that if a sequence of language courses is completed at a given institution, the equivalent of that sequence will be accepted at other institutions. Students are urged to contact the receiving institution for interpretation of credit if only a portion of the sequence is completed. Also, students may be required to take a language placement examination, especially if transferring mid-sequence.

A note in parenthesis (e.g., (4cr)) by an institution's course indicates that there may be a difference in credit value with other courses on that row and the course may not be equivalent for degree requirements. Students should check with the receiving institution before taking a course on the row that they intend to transfer for degree credit.

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Authority of this matrix

Courses in the matrices have been evaluated by appropriate faculty at the institutions listed and should have been distributed to appropriate parties at the institution, such as the registrar and admissions personnel. Therefore, unless otherwise noted, all courses in a given row are officially considered equivalent to each other and *will* be accepted for credit. The Statewide Council of Chief Academic Officers and the Board of Regents have also endorsed these matrices as normative.

What if a course doesn't appear anywhere on this matrix?

If the course you're interested in does not appear anywhere on the matrices below, it still may be accepted for credit. Contact the receiving institution's Office of the Registrar. The receiving institution will likely require documentation that the course was taught by faculty with the appropriate qualifications, especially courses from institutions which are neither accredited nor candidates for accreditation by the Commission on Colleges of the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools (SACS-CoC). The receiving institution will also likely require the course syllabus, a transcript, and other kinds of information.

Abbreviations

BRCC – Baton Rouge Community College
BPCC – Bossier Parish Community College
Delgado – Delgado Community College
Grambling – Grambling State University
Fletcher – Fletcher Technical Community College
LDCC – Louisiana Delta Community College
LSU A&M – Louisiana State University
LSUA – Louisiana State University, Alexandria
LSUE – Louisiana State University, Eunice
LSUS – Louisiana State University, Shreveport
LaTech – Louisiana Tech University
LTC – Louisiana Technical College
McNeese – McNeese State University

Nicholls – Nicholls State University
NSU – Northwestern State University
Nunez – Nunez Community College
RPCC – River Parishes Community College
SLCC – South Louisiana Community College
SLU – Southeastern Louisiana University
SUBR – Southern University and A&M College
SUNO – Southern University, New Orleans
SUS – Southern University, Shreveport
Sowela – Sowela Technical Community College
ULL – University of Louisiana, Lafayette
ULM – University of Louisiana, Monroe
UNO – University of New Orleans

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	BPCC	BRCC	Delgado	GSU	FTCC	LDCC	LSU A&M	LSUA	LSUE	LSUS	LaTech	McNeese	Nicholls	NSU	Nunez	RPCC	SLCC	SLU	SUBR	SUNO	SUSLA	Sowela	ULL	ULM	UNO
Principles of Accounting I [1]		ACCT 200	ACCT 201												Act 2010		ACCT 2010			ACCT 211	ACCT 200				
Principles of Accounting II [1]		ACCT 201	ACCT 202												ACCT 2020		ACCT 2020			ACCT 222	ACCT 201				
Intro. to Financial Accounting	ACCT 205	ACCT 200/201	ACCT 201/202/ 205	ACCT 201	ACCT 1100 [3]	ACCT 201	ACCT 2001	ACCT 2001	ACCT 2001	ACCT 205	ACCT 201			ACCT 205	ACCT 2000	ACCT 2010*	ACCT 2110 or 2010/2020 [3]	ACCT 200	ACCT 200	ACCT 211/222	ACCT 200/201		ACCT 201	ACCT 212	ACCT 2100
Intro. to Managerial Accounting	ACCT 206 [4]	ACCT 211	ACCT 211	ACCT 202	ACCT 1200 [4]	ACCT 202	ACCT 2101	ACCT 2101	ACCT 2101	ACCT 206	ACCT 202			ACCT 206	ACCT 2010	ACCT 2150	ACCT 2020*	ACCT 2120	ACCT 225	ACCT 201			ACCT 202	ACCT 213	ACCT 2130 [2]
Business Calculus	MATH 131	MATH 201	MATH 220			MATH 201	MATH 1431	MATH 1431	MATH 1431	MATH 131	MATH 222	MATH 116	MATH 106	MATH 2010		MATH 2010	MATH 2050	MATH 163	MATH 203	ECON 292			MATH 250		
Personal Finance	BADM 108	FINA 110	BUSG 125					FINC 1501	FIN 2020	FIN 231	FIN 100			BSAD 202	FIN 2150	BUSN 1330	BUSN 1330*	GBUS 2060	FIN 123				ECON 303	FIN 1330	
Business Law I ** [6]	BADM 215			GB 301	BUSI 1000	BUSN 231	BLAW 3201	BLAW 3201*	BADM 2001	BLAW 332					BUAD 3250	BUSN 2200				BADM 340			BLAW 420		
Legal Environment ** [6]		BUSN 220	BUSL 250		BUSI 2200			BLAW 2001*		BLAW 280	BLAW 255	BADM 201	BSAD 221		BUSN 2190	BUSN 2200	GBUS 2030	MGMT 231 [7]	MGMT 360	BADM 240			BLAW 310	BLAW 402	BA 3010
Business Communication **	BADM 220	BUSN 240	BUSG 178	GB 304		BUSN 215		ENGL 2002	OIS 2300	MADM 210	Bscm 305		BSAD 310	OFAD 2200	BUSN 2400	OADM 2335*	GBUS 2040	GBBT 234		BADM 250			MGMT 304	BUSN 305 [11]	MANG 3471
Professional Writing		ENGL 201		ENGL 207		ENGL 220		ENGL 3002	ENGL 2002	MADM 210				[5]		ENGL 2070		[5]	ENGL 362	ENGL 300					MANG 3471
Principles of Economics (Macro)	BADM 201	ECON 201	ECON 201	ECON 201	ECON 2010	ECON 201*	ECON 2010 [12]	ECON 2010	ECON 2010	ECON 201	ECON 201	ECON 204	ECON 212	ECON 2000	ECON 2020	ECON 201	ECON 2020	ECON 201	ECON 200	ECON 222	ECON 202	ECON 2010	ECON 201	ECON 201	ECON 1204
Principles of Economics (Micro)	BADM 202	ECON 202	ECON 202	ECON 202	ECON 2020	ECON 202	ECON 2000 [12]	ECON 2020	ECON 2000	ECON 202	ECON 202	ECON 203	ECON 211	ECON 2010	ECON 2000	ECON 202	ECON 2030	ECON 202	ECON 210	ECON 211	ECON 203	ECON 2020	ECON 202	ECON 202	ECON 1203
Microcomputer Applications	CIS 115	CSCI 190	BUSG 224	CIS 115		CINS 201	[10]	CMIS 1150	ISDS 2100	ISDS 150	CIS 110	CPST 101 [9]	OIS 200	CIS 1800	CINS 1100	CSCI 1010*	MCIS 1250	GBBT 210	CMPS 290	MGIS 164			BSAT 205	CSCI 170	BA 2780
Statistical Methods and Models I	[5]	MATH 202		GB 351		MATH 210		STAT/MATH /PSYC 2011	ISDS 2000 / MATH 1425	MATH 260	QA 233		QBA 282	BUAD 2120		MATH 2140	MATH 2020	MGMT 261				MATH 2100	QMET 251	MATH 116	MATH 2314/QMBE 2781
Statistical Methods and Models II		MATH 203		GB 352		MATH 212		STAT 3012	ISDS 2001	ISDS 265		BADM 275	QBA 285	BUAD 3120				MGMT 362	MATH 275				QMET 252	QMD5 210	QMBE 2786
Gen/Intro to Business Administration	BADM 105	BUSN 110	BUSG 129	GB 150		BUSN 101		BUS 1001	BADM 1001	MADM 105	BUSN 110	BADM 120	BSAD 101	BUAD 1040	BUSN 1100	BUSN 1100*	GBUS 1010	MGMT 141	MGMT 100				BADM 100 [8]	BUSN 101	BA 1000

The following courses transfer only among the following four-year institutions, as indicated.

			GSU		LSU A&M	LSUA		LSUS	LaTech	McNeese	Nicholls	NSU		SLU	SUBR	SUNO		ULL	ULM	UNO	
Money, Banking, and the Economy			ECON 401		ECON 2035 [12]	ECON 3035		ECON 310	ECON 312	ECON 325	ECON 317	ECON or FIN 3100		ECON 333	ECON 340	ECON 4111		ECON or FNAN 320	ECON 301	ECON 2221	
Management Information Systems**			CIS 215			CMIS 2100		ISDS 350	CIS 310	CSCI 321*	CIS 321		MGMT 290	MGMT 305	MGIS 250			BSAT 303 or ACCT 333	CINS 350	MANG 3478 or 4451	
Principles of Management			MAN 301			MGT 3200	MGMT 3200		MADM 301	MGT 310	MGMT 300	MNGT 301	MGT 3220		MGMT 351	MGMT 300	MGMT 362		MGMT 320	MGMT 301	MANG 3401 [1]
Production and Operation			MAN 312			ISDS 3115	MGMT 3215		ISDS 383	MGT 333	MGMT 370	MNGT 368	MGT 3580		MGMT 474	MGMT 310	MGMT 366		BSAT 382	MGMT 309	MANG 3402 [1]
Principles of Marketing**			MKTG 301			MKT 3401	MKTG 3401		MKT 301		MKTG 320	MKTG 300	MKTG 3230		MRKT 303	MKTG 300	MKTG 370		MKTG 345	MRKT 301	MKT 2501
Business Finance			FIN 301			FIN 3715	FINC 3715		FIN 301	FIN 318	FIN 310	FINC 302	FIN 3090		FIN 381	FIN 330	BADM 301		FNAN 300	FINA 315	

The following courses transfer only among the following two-year institutions, as indicated.

	BPCC	BRCC	Delgado	FTCC	LDCC	LSUE	Nunez	RPCC	SLCC	SUS	Sowela
Fundamentals of Accounting			ACCT 111				ACCT 1100				
Intermediate Accounting I		ACCT 231	ACCT 212	ACCT 1300			ACCT 2130				

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Intermediate Accounting II			ACCT 213		ACCT 1400																				
Tax Accounting		ACCT 220	ACCT 214						ACCT 2030						ACCT 2200										
Computer-Based Accounting	ACCT 212	ACCT 221	ACCT 221		ACCT 1500				ACCT 2102/2103						ACCT 2250										
Principles of Finance		FINA 210	FINA 201						FIN 2999						FINA 2010		FNAN 2060								
Business Math	BADM 113	BUSN 121	BUSG 121		APMA 1030	MATH 114									BUSN 1050		MATH 2030								
Money, Banking, and the Economy		ECON 205	ECON 272						ECON 2035						ECON 2250										
Principles of Management	BADM 212*	MANG 201	MANG 201			BUSN 210			MGMT 2999						BUSN 2100		GBUS 2010								
Personnel/Human Resource Management	BADM 213*	MANG 131	MANG 131						MGMT 2260							BUSN 1310*	GBUS 2060								
Small Business Management		MANG 222	MANG 222			BUSN 190			BADM 2050						BUSN 1510	BUSN 2220*	GBUS 2050								
Principles of Marketing			MARK 201			BUSN 201			MKTG 2999						BUSN 2000	BUSN 2000*	GBUS 2020								
Retail/Merchandising			MARK 213																						
Salesmanship			MARK 211						MKTG 2423																
Databases I	CIS 209	CIST 140	CMIN 264		CINS 1310	CINS 205			OIS 2200						CINS 1400		MCIS 1040								
Databases II		CIST 240	CMIN 266		CINS 2650										CINS 2400										
Spreadsheets I	CIS 207	CIST 150	CMIN 265		CINS 1300	CINS 203									CINS 1300		MCIS 1030								
Spreadsheets II		CIST 250	CMIN 268		CINS 2640										CINS 2300										
Web Design I	CWD 130	CIST 270	CMIN 209			CINS 206									CMPS 2250		MCIS 1070								
Web Design II	CWD 230		CMIN 215																						
Word Processing I	CIS 205	CIST 121	CMIN 104		CINS 1450	CINS 204			OIS 2800						CINS 1200		MCIS 1010								
Word Processing II		CIST 221	CMIN 205		CINS 1550				OIS 2830						CINS 2200										

FOOTNOTES

- To maximize transferability, students are urged to complete the ACCT I and ACCT II sequence.
- UNO requires students majoring in accounting or finance to take Intermediate Accounting I (ACCT 3121) instead of Intro to Managerial Accounting (ACCT 2130). ACCT 2130 will not substitute for ACCT 3121.
- LSU A&M does not recognize the following courses as equivalent to its ACCT 2001: FTCC ACCT 1100, NCC ACCT 2010/2020, & SLCC ACCT 2110 OR 2010/2020.
- LSU A&M does not recognize the following courses as equivalent to its ACCT 2101: BPCC ACCT 206 & FTCC ACCT 1200.
- LSU A&M requires from certain institutions a specific course(s) to satisfy the requirements for its corresponding course.
- Bus Law I is accepted for Legal Environment at some institutions and vice versa. Therefore, students should contact the Department of Business at the institution to which he or she intends to transfer.
- UNO accepts SELU's MGMT 231 as equivalent to its BA 3010, even though it is a 200-level course.
- ULL requires of its business majors the following specific courses to satisfy its requirements for: General Business Administration (BADM 100 is require of all business majors and those transferring).
- ULL will NOT accept as equivalent to the BSAT 205 (Microcomputer Applications in Business) McNeese's CPST 101.
- Transfer coursework will be evaluated individually for combinations that cover the material relative to "Microcomputer Applications." Students transferring into LSU as business majors are required to complete ISDS 1102. The following coursework has been approved as equivalent to ISDS 1102: LSUA CMIS 1150+1200; BRCC CSCI 190; GSU CIS 215 (provided GSCU CIS 115 completed); SUNO MGIS 250 (provided SUNO MGIS 164 completed).
- Students in the ULM College of Business must take BUSN 305 at ULM; no transfer equivalencies are accepted for these students because this is their capstone course.
- The Economics Department at LSU does not accept credit earned through distance learning courses and correspondence courses for transfer to LSU as economic course credit.