MASTER OF SCIENCE IN BUSINESS

Program Requirements

Program Requirements

• Student’s Advisory Committee (p. 1)
• Degree Plan (p. 1)
• Course Requirement (p. 1)
• Transfer of Credit (p. 1)
• Limitations on the Use of Transfer, Extension, and Certain Other Courses (p. 1)
• Final Examination (p. 1)

Student’s Advisory Committee

The Mays MS Business student’s advisory committee consists of the Director of the Mays MS Business Program, or the Assistant or Associate Dean for Graduate Programs within the Mays Business School. The Director or the Assistant or Associate Dean has the responsibility of approving the standardized degree plan for each MS Business student. When necessary, recommendations in cases of academic deficiency will be made to the Graduate and Professional School.

Degree Plan

The degree plan must be completed and processed by the MS Business program office and filed with the Graduate and Professional School prior to the deadline imposed by the student’s college and no later than the dates announced in the Graduate and Professional School calendar of deadlines for graduation.

Course Requirement

The course requirements for the Mays MS Business degree consist of 36 credit hours, 20 hours of which are core business courses and 16 hours of which are Business Administration (BUAD) courses.

Transfer of Credit

Because of the nature and structure of the Mays MS Business program, the transfer of credit for the MS Business core courses is not accepted.

Limitations on the Use of Transfer, Extension, and Certain Other Courses

Some departments may have more restrictive requirements for transfer work. If otherwise acceptable, certain courses may be used toward meeting credit-hour requirements for the master’s degree under the following limitations.

1. Normally the use of transfer, extension, and other courses is not permitted within the Mays MS Business coursework.
2. For non-distance degree programs, no more than 50 percent of the non-research coursework required for the program may be completed through distance education courses.

Exceptions will be permitted only in unusual cases and when petitioned by the student’s advisory committee and approved by the Graduate and Professional School.

Final Examination

A final oral examination is not required for the Master of Science in Business degree.