Business Management

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General Description

Study in this area explores management theories, history, principles, and contemporary practices utilized in our increasingly global business environment. The program encompasses a variety of specialized areas including management, marketing, financial services, entrepreneurship, leadership and supervision, eBusiness, human resources, international trade, and community development.

Career Options

Below is a sample of the career options available for the business management or related major. Most require an associate degree, some require a bachelor's or graduate-level degree: administrator, manager, human resources, small business owner/operator, supervisor, office manager, and insurance professional. Many entry-level employment opportunities are available in retail or wholesale sales, business offices, financial institutions, schools, colleges, and local, state, and federal government.

Degree/Certificate Options	Major Code
Associate in Science Degree: Career/Technical	
eBusiness	02456
Entrepreneurship and Small Business	01156
Management	01151
Certificates of Achievement	
eBusiness—Intermediate	02457
Entrepreneurship and Small Business—Intermediate	01155
Management—Intermediate	01153
Certificates of Proficiency	
eBusiness—Basic	A2444
Entrepreneurship and Small Business—Basic	A2442
Financial and Investment Services—Basic	A2027
Management—Basic	01152
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Entrepreneurship Education	00100
Automotive Technology Emphasis	02192
Event and Convention Planning Emphasis	02968
Landscape Construction Emphasis	02193
Recording Arts Emphasis	02194
Web Design Emphasis	02339

Consult with a counselor to develop a Student Education Plan (SEP), which lists the courses necessary to achieve your academic goal.

ASSOCIATE IN SCIENCE DEGREE

eBusiness

Career Technical (Major Code: 02456)

Designed to prepare students to work in the dynamic field of electronic business and commerce. The associate degree provides students with a broad range of the business knowledge and technical skills required to be competitive in the job market in the field of eBusiness.

	Total units	37-45
certificate		20-26
Plus the cou	rses required for the eBusiness—Intermediate	
LDR 149	Business Presentation Skills	
	OR	2
	(English/Spanish)	
LDR 148	Business Presentation Skills—Bilingual	
CIS 134	Microcomputer Database Software—Access	
	OR	1
CIS 133	Advanced Microcomputer Spreadsheets Software	
_BUS 183	Business Mathematics	3
_BUS 177	Principles of International Business	
	OR	3
BUS 150	Principles of Management	
BUS 152	Human Relations in Organizations (3)	
	OR	2-3
	Communication (2)	
 BUS 136	Diverse Workforce Management and	
BUS 121	Financial Planning and Money Management	
	OR	3
BUS 120	Introduction to Business	
ACCT 102	Principles of Accounting II—Managerial (4)	
	OR	3-4
TACCT 12	Computerized Accounting (3)	

To earn an associate degree, additional general education and graduation requirements must be completed. See page 51.

Entrepreneurship and Small Business

Career/Technical (Major Code: 01156)

Total units

Designed for both prospective and current owners or managers of a small business. Emphasizes opportunities available in San Diego County for entrepreneurs and provides training in all aspects of the development of a successful small business enterprise.

ACCT 12	Computerized Accounting	3
BUS 121	Financial Planning and Money Management	3
BUS 150	Principles of Management	
	OR	3
_BUS 177	Principles of International Business	
BUS 152	Human Relations in Organizations (3)	
	OR	2-3
_BUS 136	Diverse Workforce Management and Communication (2)	
BUS 183	Business Mathematics	3
CIS 133	Advanced Microcomputer Spreadsheet Software	
	OR	1
_CIS 134	Microcomputer Database Software—Access	
LDR 148	Business Presentation Skills—Bilingual (English/Spanish)	
	OR	2
LDR 149	Business Presentation Skills	
LDR 151	Human Resources and Labor Relations	3
Plus the requ	ired courses for the Entrepreneurship and	
Small Busine	ess—Intermediate certificate	30-35

To earn an associate degree, additional general education and graduation requirements must be completed. See page 51.

Management

Career/Technical (Major Code: 01151)

Designed to provide students with key concepts in business management, including the areas of administration, management, marketing, finance, entrepreneurship, supervision, banking, small business, merchandising, international trade, accounting, and information systems. Explores the theories, history, principles, skills, practices, laws, ethics, and technologies governing the increasingly global business environment.

	Total units	43-44
		31-32
Plus the req	uired courses for the Management Intermediate cert	ificate
LDR 151	Human Resources and Labor Relations	3
LDR 149	Business Presentation Skills	
	OR	2
LDR 148	Business Presentation Skills—Bilingual (English/Spanish)	
LCIS 134	Microcomputer Database Software—Access	
GIG 104	OR	1
CIS 133	Advanced Microcomputer Spreadsheets Software	
BUS 121	Financial Planning and Money Management	3
BUS 177	Principles of International Business	3

To earn an associate degree, additional general education and graduation requirements must be completed. See page 51.

CERTIFICATES

eBusiness—Basic

Certificate of Proficiency

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Career/Technical (Major Code: A2444)

Designed to introduce students to the field of electronic commerce with a focus on the business and organizational aspects of the field.

	Total units	7-10
CIS/LIB 151	Research Using the Internet	1
CL 120	Computer Literacy (1)	
	OR	1-4
	Processing (4)	
CIS 101	Introduction to Computers and Information	
BUS 143	eStrategic Business Planning	2
BUS 134	eBusiness I: Principles of Electronic Commerce	3
BUS 134	eBusiness I: Principles of Electronic Commerce	

Recommended Electives: BUS 148, 149.

■ eBusiness—Intermediate

Certificate of Achievement

Career/Technical (Major Code: 02457)

Designed to prepare students to work in the dynamic field of electronic business and commerce. Builds upon the combined knowledge and technical skills students have acquired in creating and maintaining a strong business presence on the Web.

FACCT 7	Basic Business Bookkeeping (3)	
	OR	3-4
ACCT 101	Principles of Accounting I (4)	
BUS 140	Business Law/The Legal Environment of Business	3
BUS 142	Business Ethics—Corporate and Personal	1
BUS 144	Advertising and Promotional Strategy (1)	
	OR	1-3
_BUS 174	Modern Promotion and Marketing Practices (3)	
BUS 211	Communication in Business and Industry	
	OR	3
_BUS 212	Business Communication	
BUS 290– 293	Work Experience in Business I–IV (2–4)	2
Plus the cou	rses required for the eBusiness—Basic	
certificate		13–16
	Total units	26-32

Note: It is recommended that students complete the eBusiness—Basic certificate program plus half of the courses required for the eBusiness—Intermediate certificate program prior to enrolling in BUS 290–293.

Entrepreneurship and Small Business—Basic

Certificate of Proficiency

Career/Technical (Major Code: A2442)

Designed for both the prospective and the current owner/manager of a small business. Emphasizes basic concepts in bookkeeping, law, and operations management for a small business, as well as the advertising and selling of products and services.

		Total units	13-16
	LEGL 272	Business Organizations	2
	LDR 152	Business Innovation and Creativity	1
L	_	Processing (4)	
l	CIS 101	Introduction to Computers and Information	
l		OR	1-4
ľ	CL 120	Computer Literacy (1)	
	CIS/LIB 151	Research Using the Internet	1
		Business	3
	BUS 149	Entrepreneurship Operating and Managing a Small	l
	BUS 148	Developing and Starting a New Business	3
	BUS 143	eStrategic Business Planning	2

Entrepreneurship and Small Business— Intermediate

Certificate of Achievement

Career/Technical (Major Code: 01155)

Designed for both prospective and current owners or managers of a small business. Emphasizes further development of skills learned in the basic program to enhance the concepts of bookkeeping, law, small business operations management, and the promotion and sale of products and/or services.

ACCT 7	Basic Business Bookkeeping	
	OR	3
ACCT 12	Computerized Accounting	
BUS 120	Introduction to Business	
	OR	3
_BUS 134	eBusiness I: Principles of Electronic Commerce	
BUS 140	Business Law/The Legal Environment of Business	3
BUS 142	Business Ethics—Corporate and Personal	1
BUS 144	Advertising and Promotional Strategy (1)	
	OR	1-3
BUS 147	Successful Selling Techniques (1)	
	OR	
BUS 174	Modern Promotion and Marketing Practices (3)	
BUS 145	Financial Management for Small Business	1
BUS 211	Communication in Business and Industry	
	OR	3
BUS 212	Business Communication	
BUS 290– 293	Work Experience in Business I–IV (2–4)	2
Plus the requ	aired courses for the Entrepreneurship and Small	
Business—B	asic certificate	13–16
	Total units	30-35

Note: It is recommended that students complete the Entrepreneurship and Small Business—Basic certificate plus half of the courses required for the Entrepreneurship and Small Business—Intermediate certificate prior to enrolling in BUS 290–293.

Financial and Investment Services—Basic

Certificate of Proficiency

Career/Technical (Major Code: A2027)

Designed to provide students with a basic understanding of financial services and investments which is required for a wide variety of positions in the financial services industry. Covers banking services, including loans, deposit accounts, lines of credit, sales or inventory financing, certificates of deposit, cash management, and mutual funds as well as investment principles, including markets, stock and bonds, investment funds, and insurance investments.

	Total units	15–16
BUS 183	Business Mathematics	3
BUS 123	Introduction to Investments	3
BUS 121	Financial Planning and Money Management	3
BUS 120	Introduction to Business	3
ACCT 101	Principles of Accounting I (4)	
	OR	3-4
FACCT 7	Basic Business Bookkeeping (3)	

Management—Basic

Certificate of Proficiency

Career/Technical (Major Code: 01152)

Designed to provide students with continued study in key concepts and practices of business management, including marketing, finance, entrepreneurship, supervision, banking, small business, merchandising, international trade, accounting, and information systems.

	Total units	11–12
BUS 150	Principles of Management	3
BUS 140	Business Law/The Legal Environment of Business	3
BUS 152	Human Relations in Organizations (3)	
	OR	2-3
	Communication (2)	
BUS 136	Diverse Workforce Management and	
BUS 120	Introduction to Business	3

Management—Intermediate

Certificate of Achievement

Career/Technical (Major Code: 01153)

Designed to provide students with continued study in key concepts and practices of business management, including marketing, finance, entrepreneurship, supervision, banking, small business, merchandising, international trade, accounting, and information systems.

	Total units	31-32
certificate		11–12
Plus the re	quired courses for the Management—Basic	
CIS 101	Introduction to Computers and Information Production	cessing 4
	Work Experience in Business I–IV (2–4)	2
BUS 290-	293	
_BUS 212	Business Communication	
	OR	3
BUS 211	Communication in Business and Industry	
BUS 183	Business Mathematics	3
BUS 174	Modern Promotion and Marketing Practices	3
BUS 142	Business Ethics—Corporate and Personal	1
ACCT 10	Principles of Accounting I	4

Note: It is recommended that students complete the Management—Basic certificate program plus half of the courses required for the Management—Intermediate certificate program prior to enrolling in BUS 290–293.

Entrepreneurship Education

Career/Technical

Common Core Courses

Prepares students with the understanding of entrepreneurship and small business management which includes developing, planning, organizing, and operating. Provides students interested in self-employment and those working within small firms with the knowledge and skills to foster small business. Entrepreneurship training contributes to the student's financial independence, career success, and the world's economy. Linking entrepreneurship education with program specific areas, prepares students from a wide spectrum of disciplines with the practical tools to build and maintain small businesses or to work successfully within a small business.

Common Core

	Total units	9
	Small Business	3
BUS 149	Entrepreneurship Operating and Managing a	
BUS 148	Developing and Starting a New Business	3
BUS 145	Financial Management for Small Business	1
BUS 143	eStrategic Business Planning	2

Plus completion of one of the following certificates of emphasis:

- · Automotive Technology
- · Event and Convention Planning
- Landscape Construction
- · Recording Arts
- · Web Designer

Automotive Technology Emphasis

Certificate of Proficiency

Career/Technical (Major Code: 02192)

Prepares students for self-employment and work within small companies in the business aspects of the automotive industry. Builds on their industry education in automotive repair. Expands their education in entrepreneurship and small business management. Contributes to the student's financial independence, career success, and the world's economy. Prepares them to own businesses in the automotive industry or for positions in business management, sales, and customer service.

	Total units	15
Plus the Common Core courses for Entrepreneur Education		
AT 102	Automotive Science and Basic Mechanics	3
AT 101	Introduction to Basic Automotive Service	3

Event and Convention Planning Emphasis

Certificate of Proficiency

Career/Technical (Major Code: 02968)

Prepares students for self-employment and work within small businesses in the dynamic hospitality industry. Builds on their industry education in event and convention planning, event marketing, and corporate project management. Expands their education in entrepreneurship and small business management. Contributes to the student's financial independence, career success, and the world's economy. Prepares them for private practice or for key roles within event management firms.

		Total units	15
	Plus the Cor	mmon Core courses for Entrepreneur Education	9
l	_EVNT 157	Corporate Event Project Management	
I		OR	3
I	EVNT 155	Event Marketing	
	EVNT 154	Introduction to Event and Convention Planning	3

Landscape Construction Emphasis

Certificate of Proficiency

Career/Technical (Major Code: 02193)

Prepares students for self-employment and work within small businesses in the landscape industry. Builds on their industry education in project estimating, sprinkler system repair, and working with concrete, masonry, and wood. Expands their education in entrepreneurship and small business management. Contributes to the student's financial independence, career success, and the world's economy. Prepares them to work for others and after passing the state contractor's examination, to own their own landscape construction business.

	Total units	17
Plus the Cor	nmon Core courses for Entrepreneur Education	9
LNT 131	Landscape Contracting and Estimating	3
LNT 127	Landscape Construction: Sprinkler Installation	1
LNT 126	Landscape Construction: Fence, Deck, and Lumber Skills	1
LNT 125	Landscape Construction: Concrete and Masonry Skills	1
LNT 92	Sprinkler System Maintenance: Valves and Wiring	1
LN 1 91	and Backflow Devices	1

Recording Arts Emphasis

Certificate of Proficiency

Career/Technical (Major Code: 02194)

Prepares students for self-employment and work within small businesses in the dynamic entertainment industry. Builds on their recording industry technical education in recording arts and recording techniques. Expands their education in entrepreneurship and small business management. Contributes to the student's financial independence, career success, and the world's economy. Prepares them for business ownership or key roles within the audio recording and sound mixing fields.

mon Core courses for Entrepreneur Education	
	9
Advanced Recording Techniques	2
Recording Techniques	3
Music Business/Career Overview	3
	Recording Techniques Advanced Recording Techniques

Web Designer Emphasis

Certificate of Proficiency

Career/Technical (Major Code: 02339)

Prepares students for self-employment and work in small businesses in any industry that relies on websites for marketing. Builds on their industry education in web design and usability. Expands their education in entrepreneurship and small business management. Contributes to the student's financial independence, career success, and the world's economy. Prepares them for business ownership and key roles in web design or maintenance positions.

Total units		
Plus the Common Core courses for Entrepreneur Education		
Web Site Universal Design	2	
Web Publishing With Dreamweaver	6	
	Web Site Universal Design	