

SF State College of Business MBA Program Requirements

Prerequisite Courses (700-level)

* Prerequisite courses may be waived

**A maximum of two CoB 700-level courses listed below may be counted as Advanced Requirement Electives

BUS 776
Data Analysis for Managers

No Prerequisites

BUS 785
Financial Management

Prerequisites: BUS 776, BUS 780

BUS 780
Financial Accounting

No Prerequisites

BUS 786
Operations Analysis

Prerequisite: BUS 776

BUS 782
Information Systems for Management

No Prerequisites

BUS 787
Marketing Management

No Prerequisites

BUS 783
Economics for Managers

No Prerequisites

BUS 788
Management Principles & Organizational Behavior

No Prerequisites

* Prerequisite courses may be waived, if comparable academic course work was completed at a recognized college in the last five to seven years with a B- or better grade.

**In order to count a Prerequisite course as an Advanced Requirement Elective, the CoB 700-level course must be completed at SF State.

Advanced Requirements (800-level)

Functional Courses:

Quantitative Track **Must choose 1 out of 4 courses:**

ACCT 831
Financial Statement Analysis

Prerequisite(s): BUS 780

DS 852
Managerial Decision Making

Prerequisite(s): BUS 786

FIN 819
Financial Analysis & Management

Prerequisite(s): BUS 785 completed with a B- or better

ISYS 814
Information Systems for Strategic Advantage

Prerequisite(s): BUS 782

BUS 890
Culminating Experience in Strategic Management

Prerequisite(s): All Prerequisite 700-level courses and at least 4 courses from the 800-level business courses. Candidates must have an overall GPA **and** an ATC GPA of at least 3.0.

Elective Courses:

CoB 700 or 800-Level
College of Business Elective

Prerequisite(s): Check Bulletin

CoB 700 or 800-Level
College of Business Elective

Prerequisite(s): Check Bulletin

CoB 800-Level
College of Business (800-level) Elective

Prerequisite(s): Check Bulletin

CoB 800-Level
College of Business (800-level) Elective

Prerequisite(s): Check Bulletin

CoB 800-Level
College of Business (800-level) Elective

Prerequisite(s): Check Bulletin

CoB 800-Level
College of Business (800-level) Elective

Prerequisite(s): Check Bulletin

CoB 800-Level
College of Business (800-level) Elective

Prerequisite(s): Check Bulletin

Qualitative Track **Must choose 1 out of 4 courses:**

BUS 884
Political, Social & Legal Environment of Bus.

Prerequisite(s): None

IBUS 815
Seminar in International Business

Prerequisite(s): None

MGMT 842
Seminar in Organization Design & Change

Prerequisite(s): BUS 788

MKTG 860
Strategic Marketing

Prerequisite(s): BUS 787

The candidate's Advancement to Candidacy (ATC) is comprised of ten courses, none of which may be waived. These courses include: two Advanced functional courses, seven elective graduate business courses and the Culminating Experience Strategic Management course. No undergraduate coursework is permitted.

Orientation

Held just prior to the start of the first semester

Includes academic information and professional development workshops