B2000 – Bachelor of Business (Banking and Finance Major)

Course Map (Commencing 2016, Caulfield)

Course Requirements

- Students must complete units as specified in Parts A, B and C (144 points): a minimum of 96 points of business study over Part A and Part B, and 48 points of free electives in part C
- In choosing your units you must ensure that you complete no more than 10 level 1 units (60 points), and that you complete at least six units (36 points) at level 3 of which at least four units (24 points) being Bachelor of Business listed units from the campus of enrolment.
- The course progression maps will assist you to plan how to meet the course requirements.
- Units are six points unless otherwise specified.

Course Structure

This is a comprehensive course, structured in three equal parts:

**Part A. Business specified study**
This will provide you with a broad foundation for your study of business and expose you to several business disciplines. It will contribute breadth to your knowledge of business and develop your understanding of multi-disciplinary decision making in organisations. It will also give you the opportunity to learn more about each discipline before finalising your choice of major.
Students wishing to do an accounting major in their elective units, must complete ACF1100 Introduction to Financial Accounting.

**Part B. Business listed major**
This will provide you with a focused program of study that will develop your expertise in one discipline area. You will develop, apply and communicate an advanced level of understanding of the concepts and theoretical frameworks that constitute the knowledge base of your major area of study.

**Part C. Free elective study**
This will enable you to further develop your knowledge of your chosen major, or business more broadly, or study a second business major. Alternatively you can select units from across the University in which you are eligible to enrol.

**Part A – Business specified study (48 points)**

Students Complete:

- ACF1200 OR ACF1100
- BFF1001
- BTF1010
- ECF1100
- ETF1100
- MGF1010
- MKF1120

**Capstone Portfolio** – select one unit from the list below

- BEX3000
- BEX3350
- BEX3450
- ACX3500
- BEX3622
- BEX3722
- BFX3871
- MKX3521

**Capstone unit**

- BEX3000 Current issues in business – Semester 1 & 2 (Prerequisite: 96 credit points)
- BEX3350 Investigative project in business – Semester 1 & 2 (Prerequisite: Permission required & 72 credit points)
- BEX3450 Investigative project in business (12 points) – Semester 1 & 2

**International experience**

- ACX3500 International study program in accounting – Summer A (Prerequisite: Permission required & ACC2100)
- BEX3622 Issues in global business – Summer B (Prerequisite: Permission required & 48 credit points)
- BEX3722 Engaging with international business – Summer A (Prerequisite: 96 credit points)
- BFX3871 International study program in banking and finance – Summer A (Prerequisite: Permission required & BFF2140)
- MKX3521 International study program in marketing – Summer A (Prerequisite: Permission required)

**Internships**

- BEX3006/BEX3106 Industry based learning project – Semester 1 & 2 (Prerequisite: Permission required)
- BEX3012/BEX3112 Industry based learning project (12 points) – Semester 1 & 2 (Prerequisite: Permission required)
- BEX3024 Industry based learning project (24 points) – Semester 1 & 2 (Prerequisite: Permission required)
Part B – Business listed major (48 points)

Complete at least one business listed major from your campus of enrolment. A major requires eight units with no more than 2 units (12 points) at level 1 credited to the major and at least 3 units (18 points) at level 3 credited to the major.

Depending on the major you choose, you may have already studied one of the required units as part of your business specified study. If so, you must complete an additional business unit offered on your campus of enrolment to have at least 96 points from the Monash Business School.

If you intend to undertake an honours year, you should ensure you complete the specific units required for honours in your chosen major area of study.

Students complete:

a) The following six units (36 points):

- [ ] BFF2140 Corporate finance 1 – Semester 1 & 2 (Prerequisite: ECF1100)
- [ ] BFF2401 Commercial banking and finance – Semester 1 & 2 (Prerequisite: BFF2001)
- [ ] BFF2751 Derivatives 1 – Semester 2 (Prerequisite: BFF2001)
- [ ] BFF3121 Investments and portfolio management – Semester 1 & 2 (Prerequisite: BFF2401)
- [ ] BFF3331 International banking and finance – Semester 1 & 2 (Prerequisite: BFF2401)
- [ ] BFF3841 Credit analysis and lending management – Semester 1 & 2 (Prerequisite: BFF2401)

b) Two of the following units (12 points):

- [ ] BFF2701 Equity markets – Semester 1 & 2 (Prerequisite: BFF2001 & ETF1100)
- [ ] BFF3111 Personal financial planning – Semester 1 & 2 (Prerequisite: BFF2140)
- [ ] BFF3301 Money market operations – Semester 1 & 2 (Prerequisite: BFF2401)
- [ ] BFF3351 Investment banking – Semester 1 (Prerequisite: BFF2140)
- [ ] BFF3651 Treasury management – Semester 2 (Prerequisite: BFF2140)
- [ ] BFX3355 Property investment – Semester 1 & 2 (Prerequisite: BFF2140) (Offered at Clayton campus)
- [ ] BFX3871 International study program in banking and finance – Summer A (Prerequisite: Permission required & BFF2140)
- [ ] BTF2601 Banking law – Semester 1 & 2 (Prerequisite: BTF1010)
- [ ] BTX2000 Corporations law – Semester 1 & 2 (Prerequisite: BTF1010)
- [ ] ECF1200 Macroeconomics – Semester 1 & 2
- [ ] ETF2100 Introductory econometrics – Semester 1 & 2 (Prerequisite: ETF1100)
- [ ] ETF3300 Quantitative methods for financial markets* – Semester 2 (Prerequisite: ETF2100)
- [ ] MGX3100 Management ethics and corporate governance – Semester 1 & 2 (Prerequisite: 72 Credit Points)

*Required unit for admission to the Honours Program

Part C – Free elective study (48 points)

Elective units may be chosen from units available in the Bachelor of Business course, including units to extend your major or to complete a second major or minor(s). Note that at most two units may contribute towards two majors or a major and a minor.

Enrolment in Monash Business School units at campuses other than your campus of enrolment is subject to available capacity after students from that campus have enrolled. You should also be aware of travel and timetabling limitations.

Elective units may also be used to sample disciplines from across the University or to complete a major or minor(s) from another course if you have the required prerequisites and there are no restrictions on enrolment into the units.

For students in a double degree course, some units required for the other degree are credited as electives towards this Business degree.
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Recommended Course Progression (Commencing 2016)

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RESPONSIBILITY FOR UNIT CHOICE

Students are advised that, while the course advisors will endeavour to give every possible assistance and advice concerning unit choice, the onus is on students to ensure that units selected meet degree regulations and requirements.


PROGRESSION TO HONOURS

Students successfully completing the Bachelor of Business may proceed to a one year honours program leading to the Bachelor of Commerce (Honours). To be eligible to apply for entry into the Bachelor of Commerce (Honours), students must obtain a distinction grade average (70 percent) or above in 24 points of studies in relevant discipline units at level 3. In addition, some majors require particular units to be taken for admission to honours. The details are provided with the requirements for each major to which this applies.