School of Natural Sciences and Mathematics

Biology and Healthcare Management (Double Major) (BS)

Bachelor of Science in Biology and Healthcare Management (Double Major)

Degree Requirements (147-148 semester credit hours)

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I. Core Curriculum Requirements: 42 semester credit hours

Communication: 6 semester credit hours

   COMM 1315 Public Speaking
   or COMM 1311 Survey of Oral and Technology-based Communication
   RHET 1302 Rhetoric
Mathematics: 3 semester credit hours

**MATH 2413** Differential Calculus

Life and Physical Sciences: 6 semester credit hours

**CHEM 1311** General Chemistry

or **CHEM 1315** Honors Freshman Chemistry

**CHEM 1312** General Chemistry

or **CHEM 1316** Honors Freshman Chemistry

Language, Philosophy and Culture: 3 semester credit hours

Select any 3 semester credit hours from Language, Philosophy and Culture core courses (see advisor)

Creative Arts: 3 semester credit hours

Select any 3 semester credit hours from Creative Arts core courses (see advisor)

American History: 6 semester credit hours

Select any 6 semester credit hours from American History core courses (see advisor)

Government / Political Science: 6 semester credit hours

**GOVT 2305** American National Government

**GOVT 2306** State and Local Government

Social and Behavioral Sciences: 3 semester credit hours

Choose one course from the following:

**BA 1310** Making Choices in Free Market Systems

**BA 1320** Business in a Global World

**ECON 2301** Principles of Macroeconomics

**ECON 2302** Principles of Microeconomics

Component Area Option: 6 semester credit hours

Choose two courses from the following:

**MATH 2414** Integral Calculus

**BA 1310** Making Choices in Free Market Systems

**BA 1320** Business in a Global World
II. Major Requirements: 87-88 semester credit hours

Business Major Preparatory Courses: 12 semester credit hours beyond Core Curriculum

- **ACCT 2301** Introductory Financial Accounting
- **ACCT 2302** Introductory Management Accounting
- **BLAW 2301** Business and Public Law
- **BA 1310** Making Choices in Free Market Systems
  or **ECON 2302** Principles of Microeconomics
- **BA 1320** Business in a Global World
  or **ECON 2301** Principles of Macroeconomics
- **OPRE 3360** Managerial Methods in Decision Making Under Uncertainty
  or **STAT 2332** Introductory Statistics for Life Sciences
  or **STAT 3360** Probability and Statistics for Management and Economics

Business Core Courses: 26 semester credit hours

- **BA 1100** Business Basics and **HMGT 3100** Professional Development
  or **HMGT 3200** Introduction to Business and Professional Development
- **BCOM 3310** Business Communication
- **BCOM 4350** Advanced Business Communication
- **FIN 3320** Business Finance
- **IMS 3310** International Business
- **ITSS 3300** Information Technology for Business
- **OBHR 3330** Introduction to Human Resource Management
  or **OBHR 3310** Organizational Behavior
- **OPRE 3310** Operations Management
- **MKT 3300** Principles of Marketing

Biology Major Preparatory Courses: 20-21 semester credit hours beyond Core Curriculum

- **CHEM 1111** General Chemistry Laboratory I
  or **CHEM 1115** Honors Freshman Chemistry Laboratory I
CHEM 1112  General Chemistry Laboratory II
or CHEM 1116  Honors Freshman Chemistry Laboratory II
CHEM 1311  General Chemistry I
or CHEM 1315  Honors Freshman Chemistry I
CHEM 1312  General Chemistry II
or CHEM 1316  Honors Freshman Chemistry II
CHEM 2123  Introductory Organic Chemistry Laboratory I
CHEM 2125  Introductory Organic Chemistry Laboratory II
CHEM 2323  Introductory Organic Chemistry I
CHEM 2325  Introductory Organic Chemistry II
MATH 2413  Differential Calculus
MATH 2414  Integral Calculus
PHYS 2325  Mechanics and PHYS 2125  Physics Laboratory I
or PHYS 2421  Honors Physics I - Mechanics and Heat
or PHYS 1301  College Physics I and PHYS 2125  Physics Laboratory I
PHYS 2326  Electromagnetism and Waves and PHYS 2126  Physics Laboratory II
or PHYS 2422  Honors Physics II - Electromagnetism and Waves
or PHYS 1302  College Physics II and PHYS 2126  Physics Laboratory II

Biology Core Courses: 29 semester credit hours

BIOL 2111  Introduction to Modern Biology Workshop I
BIOL 2112  Introduction to Modern Biology Workshop II
BIOL 2281  Introductory Biology Laboratory
BIOL 2311  Introduction to Modern Biology I
BIOL 2312  Introduction to Modern Biology II
BIOL 3101  Classical and Molecular Genetics Workshop
BIOL 3102  Eukaryotic Molecular and Cell Biology Workshop
BIOL 3161  Biochemistry Workshop I
BIOL 3162  Biochemistry Workshop II
BIOL 3301  Classical and Molecular Genetics
BIOL 3302  Eukaryotic Molecular and Cell Biology
III. Elective Requirements: 18 semester credit hours

Guided Electives: 18 semester credit hours

A zero semester credit hour practicum experience is required.

HMGT 4090 Healthcare Management Internship

A zero semester credit hour community engagement experience is required.

BA 4095 Social Sector Engagement and Community Outreach Practicum

The following courses fulfill a portion of the remaining Guided Elective semester credit hours:

Healthcare Management Core Courses: 15 semester credit hours

HMGT 3301 Introduction to Healthcare Management
HMGT 3311 Healthcare Accounting
HMGT 4321 Introduction to Healthcare Information Systems
HMGT 3310 Healthcare Regulatory Environment
HMGT 4380 Capstone in Healthcare Management

Biology (3 semester credit hours):

BIOL 4380 Cell and Molecular Biology Laboratory

or BIOL 3V96 Undergraduate Research in Molecular and Cell Biology
or BIOL 4391 Senior Research in Molecular and Cell Biology
or BIOL 4399 Senior Honors Research for Thesis in Molecular and Cell Biology

All students must complete at least 51 semester credit hours of upper-division courses to graduate.

1. Incoming freshmen must enroll and complete requirements of UNIV 1010 and the corresponding school-related freshman seminar course. Students, including transfer students, who complete their core curriculum at UT Dallas must take UNIV 2020.
2. Degree is 148-149 semester credit hours if students are required to take NATS 1101.
3. Curriculum Requirements can be fulfilled by other approved courses from institutions of higher education. The courses listed are recommended as the most efficient way to satisfy both Core Curriculum and Major Requirements at UT Dallas.
4. Indicates a prerequisite class to be completed before enrolling for upper-division classes.

5. A required Major course that also fulfills a Core Curriculum requirement. Semester credit hours are counted in Core Curriculum.

6. Six semester credit hours of Calculus are counted under Mathematics Core and Component Area Option Core, and 2 semester credit hours of Calculus are counted as Biology Major Preparatory Courses.

7. Students may substitute MATH 2413 and MATH 2414 by taking MATH 2417 and MATH 2419.

8. Certain courses listed are prerequisites for major core (e.g., BA 1320 or ECON 2301 for IMS 3310), major concentration, or major related courses. Choose accordingly.

9. JSOM freshmen are required to take BA 1100 and HMGT 3100. Transfer students and students new to JSOM are required to take HMGT 3200.

10. Students who complete PHYS 2421 do not need to complete PHYS 2125.

11. Requires permission of the Biology Undergraduate Advisor to ensure training in recombinant DNA analysis.

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