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Actuarial Science Requirements

Part A: Required Prerequisites

Math 1151, Math 1152	Calculus I, Calculus II	5,5
AcctMIS 2000	Foundations of Accounting	3
Econ 2001	Principles of Microeconomics	3
Econ 2002	Principles of Macroeconomics	3

Choose one of the following four:

CSE 1222	Introduction to Computer Programming in C++ for Engineers and Scientists	3
CSE 1223	Introduction to Computer Programming in Java	3
CSE 1224	Introduction to Computer Programming in Python	3
CSE 2111	Modeling and Problem Solving with Spreadsheets and Databases	3

Choose one of the following three:

Comm 2367**	Persuasive Communication	3
Comm 2110**	Principles of Effective Public Speaking	3
Comm 2131**	Business and Professional Speaking	3

Part B: Major Program (Minimum grade of C- and GPA of 2.0)

Math 2153	Calculus III	4
Math 2568	Linear Algebra	3

Choose one of the following two:

Math 4530	Probability[1]	3
Stat 4201	Introduction to Mathematical Statistics I[1]	4

Complete the following five:

Stat 4202	Introduction to Mathematical Statistics II	4
Math 3588	Practicum in Actuarial Science	3
Math 3618	Theory of Interest[2]	3
BusFin 3120	Foundations of Finance	3
English 3304**	Business and Professional Speaking	3

Choose three of the following courses:

Math 5630	Life Contingencies I[3]	3
Math 5631	Life Contingencies II[4]	3
Math 5632	Financial Economics for Actuaries	3
Math 5633	Loss Models I[5]	3
Math 5634	Loss Models II[6]	3
Math 5637	Topics from Risk Modeling[7]	3
	Total Hours	35-36

Actuarial Exams: [1]SOA P/CAS 1   [2]SOA FM/CAS 2   [3]SOA FAM-L   [4]SOA ALTAM   [5]SOA ALTAM   [6]SOA FAM-S   [7]SOA SRM

Honors Degree: Students completing an honors degree must complete at least 5 honors eligible courses selected in consultation with a faculty advisor. At most 2 courses can count from (2182H, 2568H, 3345H). At least 3 courses must be at the 5000 level.

** New requirements for students starting Autumn 2020 and later.

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Actuarial Science Sample Schedule

	Autumn		Spring	
Year 1	Math 1151	5	Math 1152	5
	CSE 1222, 1223, 1224 or 2111	3	AcctMIS 2000	3
	Econ 2001 or 2002	3	Econ 2001 or 2002	3
	ARTSSCI 1100.01	1	English 1110	3
	GE	3	GE	3
		15		17
Year 2	Math 2153	4	Math 2568	3
	Math 3618[2]	3	Stat 4201[1] or Math 4530[1]	3-4
			Comm 2367, 3110 or 2131	3
		7		9-10
Year 3	Stat 4202	4	Math 3588	3
	BusFin 3120	3	Actuarial Elective	3
			English 3304	3
		7		9
Year 4	Actuarial Elective	3	Actuarial Elective	3
		3		3

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Additional hours may be necessary depending on course selection.