

**Roosevelt University**  
 Evelyn T. Stone College of Professional Studies  
 Bachelor of Professional Studies Degree  
**Program of Study in Business**

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Advisor: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Student ID#: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

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**Introductory Courses**

PLS 201 \_\_\_\_\_ **or** PLS 302 \_\_\_\_\_ PLS 290 \_\_\_\_\_  
 Pro-Seminar in Critical Skills (6) Methods of Critical Reasoning Technological & Quantitative Literacy  
 (Less than 60sh transfer credit) (AA/AS or 60sh + 2.0 GPA) (Math 090 Pre-requisite)

MATH 090 \_\_\_\_\_ Math 099 \_\_\_\_\_ Math 100 \_\_\_\_\_  
 (If required by RUA) (If required by RUA) Intermediate Algebra (If required by RUA)

**University Writing Requirement** (Grade of C- or higher required)

ENG 100 \_\_\_\_\_ ENG 101 \_\_\_\_\_ ENG 102 \_\_\_\_\_  
 (If required by RUA) Introduction to Composition Argument, Analysis, Research

RUA – Assessment Test

Compass Reading \_\_\_\_\_  
 Compass Writing \_\_\_\_\_  
 English Placement \_\_\_\_\_  
 Math Domain \_\_\_\_\_  
 Math Score \_\_\_\_\_  
 Math Placement \_\_\_\_\_

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No more than 6 semester hours of D grades are allowed in the program of study.

ECON 101 \_\_\_\_\_ ECON 102 \_\_\_\_\_ CST 100 \_\_\_\_\_  
 Principles of Economics I Principles of Economics II PC Software Packages (or CST 101, BADM 202)

MATH 116 \_\_\_\_\_ MATH 121 \_\_\_\_\_ Statistics \_\_\_\_\_  
 Finite Mathematics (or higher) College Algebra (or higher) MATH 217, ECON 234, or PSYC 200

BLAW 201 \_\_\_\_\_ PHIL 333 \_\_\_\_\_ MKTG 302 \_\_\_\_\_  
 Business Law Business Ethics Marketing Management (Pre-req: Econ 102)

ACCT 210 \_\_\_\_\_ ACCT 211 \_\_\_\_\_ FIN 311 \_\_\_\_\_  
 Intro to Accounting I (Pre-req: Math 116 or higher) Intro to Accounting II Business Finance (Pre-req: see reverse)

**Specialty Area**

Fifteen semester hours of upper-division credit in business, nine of which must be taken at RU at the 300-level in one functional area. Grades of C- or higher required. The functional areas are: Accounting; Economics; Finance; Hospitality & Tourism Management; Human Resource Management; Management; and Marketing. See reverse side for important details.

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**Senior Seminars** (See reverse for pre-requisites)

PLS 390 – Seminar in the Social Sciences (6) \_\_\_\_\_

PLS 391 – Seminar in the Natural Sciences (6) \_\_\_\_\_

PLS 392 – Seminar in the Humanities (6) \_\_\_\_\_

PLS 399 – Senior Thesis (3) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Minimum C- to graduate

One Senior Seminar may be waived with 9sh transfer credit in area, not used elsewhere in curriculum, with 2.0 GPA. Two Seminars may be waived with AA/AS, or with 60sh total and 9sh transfer credit in each area with 2.0 GPA.

I fully understand that the courses listed on this Curriculum Worksheet are the requirements for this degree and specialization. Any change of major may require different and/or additional courses.

Student's signature \_\_\_\_\_ Advisor's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

## General Requirements for the Bachelor of Professional Studies Degree

- Students must be 24 years of age when they start the BPS degree.
- New students should take the Roosevelt University Assessment test before registering for their first semester. Students will not be allowed to register for a second semester at Roosevelt until the RUA is completed. The RUA will determine placement into appropriate English and Math courses.
- Students must successfully complete 30 semester hours at Roosevelt University (residency requirement).
- Students must have a 2.0 grade point average to graduate.
- Students must complete a minimum of 21 semester hours of coursework at the 300-level at Roosevelt.
- The PLS Senior Seminars are only open to students who have completed PLS 201 or PLS 302 and the University Writing Requirement.
- PLS 399, Senior Thesis, is open to students who have completed PLS 201 or PLS 302, the University Writing Requirement, two Senior Seminars, and who are within 21 hours of graduation.

## Specific Requirements and Notes for the BPS with a program of study in Business

- **Specialty Area:** All students must take at least three 300-level courses in one functional business area. BCOM 301 may be used as a general business course in any specialty area, but does not apply towards any one functional business area.
- **Pre-requisites:** Many courses in the Business major have extensive pre-requisites. These include:

<u>Course:</u>	<u>Pre-requisite:</u>
Math 116 and 121	Math 100 or RUA placement into Math 116 or 121
Econ 101	Math 100 or RUA placement into Math 116 or 121
Accounting 210	Math 116 or higher
Statistics	Math 116 or Math 121
Marketing 302	Econ 102
Finance 311	Math 116 or 121; Acct 211; Econ 102
- **Students seeking a CPA:** Please note that 150 credit hours (undergraduate, graduate, or combination of these) is required to sit for the Certified Public Accountant (CPA) exam. BPS graduates can fulfill this 150 credit hour requirement by earning additional graduate credit, either through degree programs such as the MBA or MSA, or through additional coursework in areas such as professional accounting, taxation, and management advisory services and related fields. As well, the Certified Management Accountant (CMA) exam requires a baccalaureate degree.
- **Finance Courses in the Specialty Area:** In addition to Finance courses, the following courses may fulfill the functional area requirement: ACCT 304, ACCT 305, ACCT 307; ECON 323, ECON 338, ECON 377; MATH 269.
- **Human Resources Management in the Specialty Area:** In addition to HRM courses, MGMT 398 may fulfill the functional area requirement. (Note: MGMT 358 is a pre-requisite to MGMT 398).
- **Management in the Specialty Area:** In addition to MGMT courses, HRM 311 may fulfill the functional area requirement.
- **Hospitality and Tourism Management as the Specialty Area:** Five courses are recommended for a Specialty Area in Hospitality and Tourism Management: HOSM 210, HOSM 230, HOSM 302, HOSM 315, and HOSM 335. The HOSM 201 prerequisite is waived for BPS students with a program of study in Business.