

BA with a Major in Germanic Studies with a Business Minor

Program Codes:

20FT1291BA

Majors in Germanic Studies must complete either the Germanic Studies Concentration or the German with a Business Minor concentration.

Degree Requirements—Germanic Studies with Business Minor—Concentration II

To earn a Bachelor of Arts in Liberal Arts and Sciences degree from UIC, students must complete university, college, and department degree requirements. The Department of Germanic Studies degree requirements are outlined below. Students should consult the *College of Liberal Arts and Sciences* section for additional degree requirements and college academic policies.

Code	Title	Hours
Summary of Requirements		
Concentration II Requirements		28
Required Collateral Courses		14
General Education and Electives to reach minimum Total Hours		78
Total Hours		120

General Education

See *General Education and Writing-in-the-Discipline* in the [College of Liberal Arts and Sciences](#) section for information on meeting these requirements.

Concentration II Requirements—German with a Business Minor

Code	Title	Hours
Required Courses		
GER 211 or GER 212	Exploring German-Speaking Cultures Rural, Urban, Global: Germanic Geographies	3
GER 300	Writing in the Study of German ^a	1
GER 315	Business Culture in German-Speaking Countries	3
GER 415	Business Practices in German-Speaking Countries	3
GER 450	Business Operations in German-Speaking Countries	3
GER 401	Research in German Studies	3
12 hours of Germanic Studies course work (GER 492 and GER 493 are recommended) ^{b,c}		12
Total Hours		28

^a GER 300 fulfills the LAS Writing-in-the-Discipline requirement. Must be taken concurrently with a course that receives credit toward a major offered by the Department of Germanic Studies.

^b No more than two courses taught in English may count toward the major.

^c GER 104 is one of the designated Germanic Studies courses.

Required Collateral Courses

These courses constitute a business minor.

Code	Title	Hours
Courses		
ACTG 210	Introduction to Financial Accounting	3
ECON 120	Principles of Microeconomics ^{a,b}	4
IDS 200	Intro to Management Information Systems	4
BA 200	Managerial Communication	3
Total Hours		14

^a This course is approved for the Understanding the Individual and Society General Education category.

^b This course is approved for the Understanding U.S. Society General Education category.

Recommended Plan of Study

Course	Title	Hours
First Year		
Fall Semester		
ENGL 160	Academic Writing I: Writing in Academic and Public Contexts	3
GER 101	Elementary German I	4
General Education Requirement course		3
General Education Requirement course		3-5
Hours		13-15
Spring Semester		
ENGL 161	Academic Writing II: Writing for Inquiry and Research	3
GER 102	Elementary German II	4
General Education Requirement course		3
General Education Requirement course		3
Quantitative Reasoning		3-5
Hours		16-18
Second Year		
Fall Semester		
GER 103	Intermediate German I	4
ECON 120	Principles of Microeconomics ^a	4
General Education Requirement course		3
General Education Requirement course		3
Hours		14
Spring Semester		
GER 104	Intermediate German II	4
Elective		3
ACTG 210	Introduction to Financial Accounting	3
General Education Requirement course		3
General Education Requirement course		3
Hours		16

Third Year**Fall Semester**

GER 211 or GER 212	Exploring German-Speaking Cultures or Rural, Urban, Global: Germanic Geographies	3
GER 315	Business Culture in German- Speaking Countries	3
BA 200	Managerial Communication	3
General Education Requirement course/Elective		3
Elective		3
Hours		15

Spring Semester

GER 415	Business Practices in German- Speaking Countries	3
IDS 200	Intro to Management Information Systems	4
General Education Requirement course/Elective		3
German Electives		6
Hours		16

Fourth Year**Fall Semester**

GER 300	Writing in the Study of German	1
GER 450	Business Operations in German- Speaking Countries	3
German Elective ^b		3
Electives		8
Hours		15

Spring Semester

GER 401	Research in German Studies	3
German Elective ^b		3
Electives		9-12
Hours		15-18
Total Hours		120

^a *ECON 120 is approved for the Understanding U.S. Society and Understanding the Individual and Society General Education categories.*

^b *GER 492 and GER 493 are recommended if an internship is available.*

Note: Study Abroad is strongly recommended during a summer session and/or Junior year.