



The Wharton MBA Curriculum: A Snapshot

The Wharton MBA degree requires 19 credit units (cu). If taken in full, the Core Curriculum amounts to 9.5 cu with the remaining 9.5 cu fulfilled through elective courses. Below is an outline of the Wharton MBA Core Curriculum, comprised of the “fixed core”, which all students must take or waive, and the “flexible core”, courses from which students can choose depending upon their interests and goals.

**FIXED CORE (Fall only)**

Required Courses	Credit Unit/Term
MGMT 610: Foundations of Teamwork and Leadership <sup>1</sup>	0.5cu (August)
MKTG 611: Marketing Management	0.5cu (Q1)
OPIM 611: Quality and Productivity	0.5cu (Q2)
STAT 613: Regression Analysis for Business OR STAT 621: Accelerated Regression Analysis <sup>2</sup>	1.0cu (Fall)  0.5 cu (Q1)
MGEC 611/612: Microeconomics for Managers	1.0cu (Q1/Q2)
WHCP 611: Management Communication <sup>1</sup>	0.25cu (Q1 or Q2)
TOTAL	3.75 cu

**FLEXIBLE CORE: STUDENTS CHOOSE ONE COURSE FROM EACH REQUIREMENT**

Requirement	Credit Unit/Term	Course Options
Accounting	1.0cu (Fall only)	ACCT 611: Financial Accounting
	0.5cu (Fall only)	ACCT 612: Accelerated Financial Accounting <sup>2</sup>
	1.0cu	ACCT 613: Financial and Managerial Accounting
Finance: Corporate Finance	1.0cu	FNCE 611: Corporate Finance <sup>3</sup>
	0.5cu (Fall only)	FNCE 612: Accelerated Corporate Finance <sup>2</sup>
	0.5cu (Spring only)	FNCE 614: Introduction to Corporate Finance <sup>4</sup>
Finance: Macroeconomics	1.0cu	FNCE 613: Macroeconomics and the Global Economic Environment <sup>3</sup>
	0.5cu (Spring only)	FNCE 615: Introduction to Macroeconomics and the Global Economic Environment <sup>4</sup>
Legal Studies & Business Ethics <sup>1</sup>	0.5cu	LGST 611: Responsibility in Global Management
	0.5cu	LGST 612: Responsibility in Professional Services
Management <sup>1</sup>	1.0cu	MGMT 611: Managing the Established Enterprise
	1.0cu	MGMT 612: Managing the Emerging Enterprise
Marketing	0.5cu	MKTG 612: Dynamic Marketing Strategy
	0.5cu (Spring only)	MKTG 613: Strategic Marketing Simulations
Operations <sup>1</sup>	0.5cu (Spring only)	OPIM 612: Business Analytics
	0.5cu (Spring only)	OPIM 613: Information Technology and Business Transformation
	0.5cu	OPIM 614: Innovation
	0.5cu	OPIM 615: Operations Strategy
Communications <sup>1</sup>	0.25cu (Spring only)	WHCP 612: Advanced Persuasive Speaking
	0.25cu (Spring only)	WHCP 615: Communication Challenges for Entrepreneurs: Pitching Your Business

<sup>1</sup> Students are not able to waive this requirement.

<sup>2</sup> Requires passing an exam or having specified credentials to enroll.

<sup>3</sup> To be a finance major, students must take FNCE 613 (1.0 cu of Macroeconomics) and either FNCE 611 (1.0 cu of Corporate Finance) or FNCE 612 (0.5cu of Accelerated Corporate Finance).

<sup>4</sup> Students cannot take both FNCE 614 and FNCE 615 to fulfill the FNCE requirement.