

Requirements for Major and Minor Programmes offered by FBE
2012-13 intake (3-Year curriculum)

I. Major/ Minor Programmes available for non-FBE students

Programme	Major	Minor
School of Business		
Business	X	√
School of Economics and Finance		
Economics	√	√
Finance	√	√

II. GPA Requirement

A yearly GPA of 3.0 or above as of August 31 (excluding Summer Semester) at the end of the first year of study must be obtained for eligibility to declare any major or minor offered by the Faculty of Business and Economics.

For students who fail to meet the GPA requirement at the end of their second year of study, their declaration of FBE major/minor will be removed from the SIS by their home Faculty.

III. Requirements for Major Programmes

Students are required to complete 60 credits of prescribed courses for each major as follows:

(A) Majors offered by the School of Economics and Finance

1. Major in Economics (60 credits)

<i>Course code</i>	<i>Course</i>	<i>Credits</i>
Year 1 courses: 12 credits		
ECON1001	Introduction to economics I	6
ECON1002	Introduction to economics II	6
Year 2 and Year 3 courses: 48 credits		
ECON2101	Microeconomic theory <u>or</u>	6
ECON2113	Microeconomic analysis	
ECON2102	Macroeconomic theory <u>or</u>	6
ECON2114	Macroeconomic analysis	
ECONxxxx/ FINAxxxx	Year two/Year three courses listed in Economics or Finance electives	36
Total:		60

2. Major in Finance (60 credits)

<i>Course code</i>	<i>Course</i>	<i>Credits</i>
Year 1 courses: 18 credits		
BUSI1002	Introduction to accounting	6
ECON1001	Introduction to economics I	6
FINA1003	Corporate finance	6
Year 2 and Year 3 courses: 42 credits		
ECON2101	Microeconomic theory <u>or</u>	6
ECON2113	Microeconomic analysis	
FINA0301	Derivatives	6
FINA2802	Investments and portfolio analysis	6
ECONxxxx/	Year two/Year three courses listed in Economics	24
FINAxxxx	and Finance electives	
		Total: 60

Notes for Major in Finance:

- BUSI1002 Introduction to accounting can be taken in the first year or the second year.
- FINA1003 Corporate finance can be taken in the second year.
- ECON2101 Microeconomic theory/ECON2113 Microeconomic analysis should be taken in the second year except with special permission from the Director of School of Economics and Finance.
- Students are advised to take introductory courses in statistics and mathematics.

IV. Requirements for Minor Programmes

Students are required to complete 36 credits of prescribed courses for each minor as follows:

(A) Minors offered by the School of Business

1. Minor in Business (36 credits)

<i>Course code</i>	<i>Course</i>	<i>Credits</i>
Core courses: 12 credits		
BUSI1002	Introduction to accounting	6
BUSI1004/	Marketing or	6
BUSI1007	Principles of management	
Electives: 24 credits		
BUSIxxxx	Courses listed in Business electives	24

2. Minor in Economics (36 credits)

<i>Course code</i>	<i>Course title</i>	<i>Credits</i>
Core courses: 18 credits		
ECON1001	Introduction to economics I	6
ECON1002	Introduction to economics II	6
ECON2101/ ECON2113	Microeconomic theory <u>or</u> Microeconomic analysis	6
Electives: 18 credits		
ECONxxxx/ FINAxxxx	Year two or three courses listed in Economics or Finance electives	18

3. Minor in Finance (36 credits)

<i>Course code</i>	<i>Course</i>	<i>Credits</i>
Core courses: 18 credits		
BUSI1002.	Introduction to accounting	6
ECON1001.	Introduction to economics I	6
FINA1003.	Corporate finance	6
FINA2802.	Investments and portfolio analysis	6
Electives: 12 credits		
ECONxxxx/ FINAxxxx	Year 2/3 courses listed in Economics or Finance electives	12

V. Requirements for Minor Programmes

Business Electives (for Minor in Business)

Year 2 or 3 courses

<i>Course code</i>	<i>Course title</i>	<i>Credits</i>
BUSI0003.	Advanced financial accounting	6
BUSI0004.	Advertising management	6
BUSI0006.	Auditing	6
BUSI0010.	Company law	6
BUSI0015.	Principles of entrepreneurship	6
BUSI0018.	Hong Kong taxation	6
BUSI0019.	Intermediate accounting I	6
BUSI0020.	Intermediate accounting II	6
BUSI0022.	International marketing	6
BUSI0023.	Operations and quality management	6
BUSI0026.	Employment and labour relations	6
BUSI0027.	Management accounting I	6
BUSI0028.	Management accounting II	6
BUSI0029.	Human resource management and business strategy	6
BUSI0030.	Market competition and quality management	6
BUSI0031.	Marketing research	6
BUSI0032.	Multinational corporations	6
BUSI0033.	Organizational change and development	6
BUSI0034.	Human resource: theory and practice	6
BUSI0035.	Production and operations	6
BUSI0036.	Quantitative analysis for business decisions I	6
BUSI0037.	Quantitative analysis for business decisions II	6
BUSI0038.	Services marketing	6
BUSI0039.	The development of modern China	6
BUSI0044.	International business	6
BUSI0045.	Accounting seminar	6
BUSI0047.	Applied organization	6
BUSI0048.	Business applications development	6
BUSI0050.	Consumer behaviour	6
BUSI0052.	Database development and management	6
BUSI0053.	Decision support and expert systems	6
BUSI0055.	Electronic commerce and virtual businesses	6
BUSI0057.	High-performance work systems	6
BUSI0058.	Human resource planning and career management	6
BUSI0059.	Information systems analysis and design	6
BUSI0062.	Information systems management and strategy	6
BUSI0063.	Internet applications development	6
BUSI0064.	Leadership development programme	3
BUSI0065.	Information systems security management	6
BUSI0066.	Marketing on the commercial internet	6
BUSI0068.	Multimedia applications development	6
BUSI0070.	Reward and compensation	6

<i>Course code</i>	<i>Course title</i>	<i>Credits</i>
BUSI0071.	Strategic marketing management	6
BUSI0073.	Data communications and networking management	6
BUSI0074.	Telecommunications policy and business	6
BUSI0075.	Current topics in human resource management	6
BUSI0076.	Current topics in information systems	6
BUSI0077.	Selections and training	6
BUSI0078.	Compensation and benefits	6
BUSI0084.	Advanced topics in auditing	6
BUSI0085.	Advanced topics in taxation	6
BUSI0088.	Artificial intelligence for business applications	6
BUSI0089.	Studies on China's competitiveness	6
BUSI0090.	The European business environment	6
BUSI0092.	Advanced database management & data mining	6
BUSI0093.	Enterprise resources planning systems	6
BUSI0094.	e-Transformation	6
BUSI0095.	Creativity and business innovation	6
BUSI1001.	Business law	6
BUSI1005.	Organizational behaviour	6
BUSI3011.	Corporate governance and social responsibility	6
BUSI3012.	International and cross-boundary trade law	6
BUSI3511.	Selected Topics in Marketing Strategy	6
BUSI3512.	Developing Marketing Competence	6
FINA0102.	Financial markets and institutions	6
FINA0301.	Derivatives	6
FINA0302.	Theories of corporate finance	6
FINA0804.	Fixed income securities	6
FINA2802.	Investments and portfolio analysis	6

Economic Electives

Year 2 courses

<i>Course code</i>	<i>Course title</i>	<i>Credits</i>
ECON2102/	Macroeconomic theory <i>or</i>	6
ECON2114	Macroeconomic analysis	

Year 2 or 3 courses

<i>Course code</i>	<i>Course title</i>	<i>Credits</i>
ECON0103	Economics of human resources	6
ECON0104	Public finance	6
ECON0106	Games and decisions	6
ECON0107	History of economic thought	6
ECON0109	Topics in macroeconomics	6
ECON0204	The economics of finance	6
ECON0205	Theories of investment	6
ECON0206	Capital theory	6
ECON0207	Monetary economics	6
ECON0208	Economics of banking	6
ECON0209	Finance and development	6
ECON0210	Investment, technology, and economic growth	6
ECON0301	Theory of international trade	6
ECON0302	International finance	6
ECON0401	Comparative economic systems	6
ECON0402	Industrial organization	6
ECON0403	The economics of property rights	6
ECON0405	The economics of law	6
ECON0406	State, law and the economy	6
ECON0407	Political economy of public policy	6
ECON0501	Economic development	6
ECON0503	Urban economics	6
ECON0504	Transportation economics	6
ECON0601	Economic development of China	6
ECON0602	Foreign trade and investment in China	6
ECON0603	The economic system of Hong Kong	6
ECON0605	Economic history in China	6
ECON0606	Current economic affairs	6
ECON0607	Economics of population changes	6
ECON0608	Great events in history: an economic analysis	6
ECON0701	Introductory econometrics	6
ECON0702	Mathematical methods in economics	6
ECON0703	Mathematical economics	6
ECON0706	Uncertainty and information	6
ECON0707	Economic forecasting	6
ECON3108	Selected topics in price theory	6
ECON3505	Project evaluation	6
FINA0103	International banking	6

Year 3 courses

<i>Course code</i>	<i>Course title</i>	<i>Credits</i>
ECON3801	Reading course	6
ECON3802	Dissertation (only for Major in Economics)	12

Finance Electives

Year 2 or 3 courses

FINA0102	Financial markets and institutions	6
FINA0103	International banking	6
FINA0104	Management of commercial banks	6
FINA0105	International financial management	6
FINA0106	Insurance: theory and practice	6
FINA0301	Derivatives (only for Minor in Finance)	6
FINA0302	Theories of corporate finance	6
FINA0303	Case studies in corporate finance	6
FINA0304	Advanced corporate finance	6
FINA0401	Empirical finance	6
FINA0402	Mathematical finance	6
FINA0403	Financial engineering	6
FINA0404	Spreadsheet financial modeling	6
FINA0405	Interest rate models	6
FINA0501	Asian financial institutions	6
FINA0601	Quantitative risk management	6
FINA0602	Operational issues and cases in quantitative finance	6
FINA0603	Behavioral finance	6
FINA0604	Financial practicum	6
FINA0605	Alternative investments	6
FINA0804	Fixed income securities	6
FINA0805	Real estate finance	6
FINA1001	Financial statement analysis	6
FINA3806	Risk management	6
FINA3807	Special topics in finance	6

Year 3 courses

FINA3601	Reading course	6
FINA3602	Dissertation (only for Major in Finance)	12