BA in Business Administration Adult Degree Program



Transfer Guide for Lower Columbia College

Warner Pacific University is committed to serving students by providing clear pathways for baccalaureate degree completion. The degree completion program is designed with working professionals in mind, with evening and online course options that empower you to earn your bachelor's degree while balancing your life and work.

1. Complete an Associate Degree at Lower Columbia College (60 semester credits)*

- You may select a DTA, AAS, AS, or AGS degree. As part of your degree, you should complete at least 90 quarter credits (60 semester credits) of transferrable coursework.
- The DTA degree from Lower Columbia College provides an excellent foundation for the BA in Business Administration at WPU, fulfilling all lower-division general education core requirements.
- The following courses (grades C- or higher) will transfer to WPU to meet the lower-division general education core requirements and Business Administration major prerequisites:

Lower Columbia College Course	WPU Requirement
BTEC 104, BTEC 131, BTEC 145, CS 110, or CS 208-1 course/3 credits	Major Prerequisite/Info Tech core requirement
BUS 104, MATH& 141, or higher math- 1 course/3 credits	Major Prerequisite/Mathematics core requirement
ENGL& 101- 1 course/4 credits	English Composition I core requirement
ENGL& 102- 1 course/4 credits	English Composition II core requirement
Science course- 1 course/3 credits	Science core requirement
Arts, English Literature, History, Humanities, or Music course- 1 course/3 credits	Historical & Cultural Knowledge core requirement
HDEV 115, HLTH 106, HLTH 110, HLTH 135, HLTH 245, or NUTR& 101- 1 course/2 credits	Healthy Lifestyle Theory core requirement
BUS 118, HUM 104, or HUM 255- 1 course/3 credits	Ethics core requirement
ANTH& 100, ANTH& 206, CMST 250, ENGL 140, ENGL 246, ENGL 280, HUM 164, POLS& 204, SOC 225, or foreign language course- 1 course/3 credits	Appreciation of Diversity core requirement
CJ 154, CJ 184, POLS& 202, PSYC& 100, or SOC& 101- 1 course/3 credits	Urban Life core requirement

2. Complete the BA in Business Administration Curriculum at WPU (45-51 credits)

The Business Administration curriculum allows you to choose one of three majors that include 12-14 major courses and 3 advanced-level GE core courses, all at the baccalaureate level:

- > BA in Business Administration (15 courses/45 semester credits)
- > BA in Business Administration, Emphasis in Health Care Administration (17 courses/51 semester credits)
- > BA in Business Administration, Emphasis in Human Resource Management (17 courses/51 semester credits)

Each major is designed to build on your professional experience and prior coursework in order to deepen your theoretical knowledge and to be professionally useful and engaging.

3. Work with Your WPU Advisor to Plan Your Elective Credits (9-15 credits)

Complete 9-15 semester credits in elective coursework to reach 120 total semester credits. These elective credits, which may be included among your transfer credits, can be earned by:

- > Taking additional credit or a minor at WPU
- Completing additional elective coursework at Lower Columbia College
- > Earning credit by examination
- Submitting professional certificates and workforce training for prior learning assessment.

Your WPU advisor will help you review options and make a plan that fits your individual situation. The number of courses/credits you complete at WPU may increase if you are missing any transfer courses from the above table.