

# Best Choices Guide

## Business (BS) – Sport Management Emphasis

This Best Choices Guide is designed for Colorado Community College System (CCCS) students who want to transfer to UCCS and complete a Bachelor of Science degree with a major in Business, Sport Management Emphasis. It is based on the [best academic advising choices](#) for future UCCS students.

**If you plan to complete this bachelor’s degree, recognize that:**

1. You should transfer into the bachelor’s program after you take the courses outlined below. Transfer hours beyond the credits below are not guaranteed to apply toward the bachelor’s degree.
2. It is imperative that you contact an advisor at the 4-year institution by the end of the first semester to clarify course work appropriate for this major and to identify the community college courses and GPA necessary to meet admission requirements to both the 4-year institution and the degree program.
3. Each transfer course must have a grade of “C” or better.

This guide does not supplant the State-Wide Transfer Articulation Agreement (STAA) for Business, but rather offers a guide for students who wish to pursue the Sport Management Emphasis in Business at UCCS that is not available via the standard Business STAA.

Degree Requirements	Courses
Written Communication (6 hours)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• ENG 121</li> <li>• BUS 217</li> </ul>
Oral Communication (3 hours)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• COM 115</li> </ul>
Mathematics (3 hours)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• MAT 121</li> <li>• MAT 125</li> </ul>
Arts & Humanities (3 hours)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Complete one GT-AH course (<a href="#">GT-AH1</a>) (<a href="#">GT-AH2</a>) (<a href="#">GT-AH3</a>) (<a href="#">GT-AH4</a>)</li> </ul>
Electives (6 hours)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Complete 6 hours of GT-Pathways courses</li> </ul>

**Foreign Language Note – UCCS**

UCCS admission requirements include 2 years of the same high school foreign language (or equivalent 2 semesters at a Colorado Community College). Students planning to attend UCCS who do not have the prerequisite foreign language requirement should consider enrolling in these courses in addition to the degree requirements. Students who do not meet this requirement will need to fulfill it upon transferring to UCCS. This admission requirement does not apply to those who graduated from high school prior to 1988, who have a GED, who graduated from a non-U.S. high school, or who can prove proficiency in a foreign language through the 2<sup>nd</sup> semester at college level. **Please check with the Transfer Advisor ([transfer@uccs.edu](mailto:transfer@uccs.edu)) to see if this requirement applies to you.**

**Additional Resources**

The UCCS transfer website ([www.uccs.edu/transfer](http://www.uccs.edu/transfer)) has many additional resources for students transferring from CCCS to UCCS.

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## Four-Year Degree Plan – Business – Sport Management Emphasis

The following four-year plan lists all the specific course requirements for the Bachelor of Science in Business - Sport Management Emphasis degree at UCCS. Courses are listed by the course number at the appropriate institution. The order in which these courses are taken may vary with course availability. **Students are responsible for completing all course prerequisites.** Please note that this is a *suggested* degree program; your program may vary.

### Suggested First Year

FALL			SPRING		
√	Course	Hours	√	Course	Hours
	ENG 121	3		BUS 217	3
	ECO 201	3		ECO 202	3
	MAT 121	4		MAT 125	4
	COM 115	3		GT-AH Course	3
	Elective	3		Elective	3
		<b>TOTAL</b>			<b>TOTAL</b>
		16			16

### Suggested Second Year

FALL			SPRING		
√	Course	Hours	√	Course	Hours
	SPTM 1000	3		SPTM 2960	1
	SPTM 2000	3		ACCT 2020	3
	SPTM 2350	4		QUAN 2010	3
	ACCT 2010	3		MGMT 3000	3
	INFS 1100	3		MKTG 3000	3
		<b>TOTAL</b>			<b>TOTAL</b>
		16			13

### Suggested Third Year

FALL			SPRING		
√	Course	Hours	√	Course	Hours
	MKTG 4510	3		SPTM 3960	3
	FNCE 3050	3		SPTM 4300	3
	INFS 3000	3		Sport Emphasis Course	3
	MGMT 3300	3		BGSO 4000	3
	QUAN 2020	3		OPTM 3000	3
		<b>TOTAL</b>			<b>TOTAL</b>
		15			15

### Suggested Fourth Year

FALL			SPRING		
√	Course	Hours	√	Course	Hours
	SPTM 4200	3		SPTM 4960	4
	Sport Emphasis Course	3		Sport Emphasis Course	3
	STRT 4500	3		Business Elective	3
	Open Elective	3		Open Elective	4
	Writing Intensive Course or Open Elective	3			
		<b>TOTAL</b>			<b>TOTAL</b>
		15			14

### UCCS Bachelor of Science, Business – Sport Management Emphasis Requirements

1. A minimum of 120 hours must be completed with a cumulative CU grade point average of 2.0; at least 45 of these hours must be at the upper-division level (courses numbered 3000-4999).
2. At least 30 hours of business course work for the degree must be completed while registered in the College of Business at UCCS. The 30 hours must include 18-21 hours in the area of emphasis, BGSO 4000, and STRT 4500.
3. Students must acquire a 2.0 overall GPA and a 2.5 business course GPA to graduate with a specified emphasis, with no grade below a “C-” in all emphasis courses. Students not maintaining this GPA will receive General Business degree at the completion of the program.
5. For specific department information and recommendations, please visit: <https://www.uccs.edu/business/index.php/degrees-and-programs/academics/sport-management>

Prospective Student Advising: Transfer Advisor ([transfer@uccs.edu](mailto:transfer@uccs.edu))