

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURAL BUSINESS
EIGHT-SEMESTER DEGREE COMPLETION PROGRAM
B.S.A. – Agricultural Business (AGBS) – Agricultural Economics (AGEC)
2023-2024

AGEC Requirements: 1 hour University Requirement; 12 hours Communications; 3 hours History; 9 hours Mathematics and Statistics; 8 hours Science; 6 hours Fine Arts/Humanities; 9 hours Social Sciences; 21 hours Agribusiness Prerequisites; 27 hours Agribusiness Core; 18 hours AGECE Concentration Requirements; 1-3 hours Capstone Experience; 19-21 hours General electives.

Key: **Bold** = Course meets University Core.

Fall Semester Year 1

- UNIV 1001 University Perspectives, 1 hour
 - MATH 2043 Survey of Calculus, 3 hours
 - **History Core Elective**, 3 hours
 - **ENGL 1013** Composition I, 3 hours
 - **AGEC 1103** Principles of Ag Micro-economics **OR ECON 2023**, 3 hours
 - ASTM 2903 AGHE Applications of Microcomputers **OR** ISYS 1123 Business Application Knowledge, 3 hours
- Total Semester Hours: 16

Spring Semester Year 1

- **ENGL 1023** Composition II, 3 hours
 - COMM 1313 Public Speaking, 3 hours
 - **AGEC 2103** Principles of Ag Macroeconomics **OR ECON 2013** Principles of Macroeconomics, 3 hours
 - AGECE 2303 Intro to Agribusiness, 3 hours
 - AGECE 2143 Agribusiness Financial Records **OR ACCT 2013** Accounting Principles, 3 hours
- Total Semester Hours: 15

Fall Semester Year 2

- AGECE 2403 Quantitative Tools for Agribusiness **OR BUSI 1033** Data Analysis and Interpretation **OR STAT 2303** Principles of Statistics, 3 hours
 - MATH 2053 Finite Mathematics, 3 hours
 - **Fine Arts or Humanities Core Elective**, 3 hours
 - General Electives, 3 hours
 - **Science Core Elective with lab**, 4 hours
- Total Semester Hours: 16

Spring Semester Year 2

- **PSYC 2003** General Psychology **OR HDFS 2603** Rural Families and Communities **OR SOCI 2013** General Sociology, 3 hours
 - **Science Core Elective with lab**, 4 hours
 - AGECE 3303 Food and Agri Marketing, 3 hours
 - AGECE Concentration Elective, 3 hours
 - General Elective, 2 hours
- Total Semester Hours: 15

Fall Semester Year 3

- AGECE 3403 Farm Business Management, 3 hours
 - AGECE 3373 Futures and Options Markets, 3 hours
 - AGECE 3503 Agricultural Law I, 3 hours
 - ECON 3033 Microeconomic Theory, 3 hours
 - Communication Intensive Elective, 3 hours
- Total Semester Hours: 15

Spring Semester Year 3

- **Fine Arts or Humanities Core Elective**, 3 hours
 - ECON 3133 Macroeconomic Theory, 3 hours
 - Agribusiness Core Directed Electives, 3 hours
 - General Electives, 6 hours
- Total Semester Hours: 15

Fall Semester Year 4

- AGECE 4143 Agricultural Finance, 3 hours
 - AGECE Concentration Elective, 3 hours
 - Agribusiness Core Directed Electives, 6 hours
 - General Elective, 3 hours
- Total Semester Hours: 15

Spring Semester Year 4

- AGECE Concentration Elective, 3 hours
 - Agribusiness Core Directed Electives, 3 hours
 - Capstone Experience, 1-3 hours
 - General Electives, 6 hours
- Total Semester Hours: 13-15

Total Completed Hours: 120