

2023 - 2024 Major Map






Finance - 3.0 Years, BS













School/College: W. P. Carey School of Business
BAFINBS

FT Fast Track Options: [Return to 4 Year Plan](#)

A student must speak with an advisor in order to be added to a fast track plan.

In order to complete a fast track degree plan, you must take courses during the summer. This may impact your financial aid. Financial aid is available to those who apply and qualify, and students may receive funds to help cover costs for each semester of enrollment. The amount of financial aid that a student is eligible for varies depending on prior education experience and other individual factors. [Learn](#) more about summer financial aid and additional ways to cover summer costs.

Term 1 0 - 17 Credit Hours Critical course signified by 	Hours	Minimum Grade	Notes
 WPC 101: Student Success in Business	1		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ASU 101 or college-specific equivalent First-Year Seminar required of all first-year students. ACC 101 is the W. P. Carey School course that meets this requirement Join a student club or organization Create your first college resume
CIS 105: Computer Applications and Information Technology (CS)	3	C	
ENG 101 or ENG 102: First-Year Composition OR ENG 105: Advanced First-Year Composition OR ENG 107 or ENG 108: First-Year Composition	3	C	
MAT 210: Brief Calculus (MA)	3	C	
SOC course (SB)	3		
Humanities, Arts and Design (HU) AND Historical Awareness (H)	3		
Elective	1		
Term hours subtotal:	17		
Term 2 17 - 34.25 Credit Hours Critical course signified by 	Hours	Minimum Grade	Notes
COM 100: Introduction to Human Communication (SB) OR COM 225: Public Speaking (L) OR COM 230: Small Group Communication (SB) OR COM 259: Communication in Business and the Professions	3		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> WPC 150 is required of all first-year business students. Transfer students will not be required to complete WPC 150 and will instead complete three hours of elective credit. Failure to successfully complete business skills courses in specified term may lead to a delay in graduation. See your academic advisor for more information and options. Explore student leadership opportunities in W. P. Carey Research study abroad opportunities recommended for your major
ECN 211: Macroeconomic Principles (SB)	3	C	
ENG 101 or ENG 102: First-Year Composition OR ENG 105: Advanced First-Year Composition OR ENG 107 or ENG 108: First-Year Composition	3	C	
MAT 211: Mathematics for Business Analysis	3	C	
WPC 148: First-Year Introduction to Career Development	0.25	C	
WPC 150: Business and Society	3	C	
Elective	2		
 Complete ENG 101 OR ENG 105 OR ENG 107 course(s).			
 Minimum 2.00 GPA ASU Cumulative.			
Term hours subtotal:	17.25		

Summer 2 34.25 - 42.25 Credit Hours	Hours	Minimum Grade	Notes
Natural Science - Quantitative (SQ)	4		
Elective	4		
Term hours subtotal:	8		
Term 3 42.25 - 59.50 Credit Hours Critical course signified by 	Hours	Minimum Grade	Notes
ACC 232: Financial Accounting I OR ACC 231: Uses of Accounting Information I	3	C	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Continuing first-year students will take WPC 248, after completing WPC 148 New transfer students will take WPC 347 ACC 232 and ACC 242 are the recommended ACC courses for Finance students Explore career resources Develop your professional online presence Meet with your W. P. Carey Career Coach Attend W. P. Carey and ASU Career Fairs
ECN 212: Microeconomic Principles (SB)	3	C	
ECN 221: Business Statistics (CS)	3	C	
WPC 248: Sophomore Career Narrative Design OR WPC 347: Intermediate Career Management	0.25	C	
PSY course (SB)	3		
Humanities, Arts and Design (HU) AND Cultural Diversity in the U.S. (C)	3		
Elective	2		
 Complete Mathematics (MA) requirement.			
Term hours subtotal:	17.25		
Term 4 59.50 - 77.50 Credit Hours Critical course signified by 	Hours	Minimum Grade	Notes
ACC 242: Managerial Accounting I OR ACC 241: Uses of Accounting Information II	3	C	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ACC 232 and ACC 242 are the recommended ACC courses for Finance students Students pursuing concurrent degrees within W. P. Carey cannot share coursework in the major. Major coursework must be unique to each degree program. Attend W. P. Carey and ASU career fairs Apply for internships or create one
ENG 302: Business Writing (L)	3		
FIN 302: Managerial Finance OR FIN 303: Honors Finance	3	C	
MKT 300: Marketing and Business Performance	3	C	
SCM 300: Global Supply Operations	3	C	
WPC 300: Problem Solving and Actionable Analytics	3	C	
 Minimum 2.00 GPA ASU Cumulative.			
Term hours subtotal:	18		
Summer 4 77.50 - 84.75 Credit Hours	Hours	Minimum Grade	Notes
WPC 348: Junior Networking Foundations	0.25	C	
Natural Science - General (SG) OR Natural Science - Quantitative (SQ)	4		
Elective OR WPC 484: Internship OR FIN 484: Internship	3		
Term hours subtotal:	7.25		
Term 5 84.75 - 102.75 Credit Hours Necessary course signified by 	Hours	Minimum Grade	Notes
 ACC 340: External Reporting I	3	C	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> All upper-division Business Core classes (including International Business course) must be completed before enrolling in WPC 480 Meet with your W. P. Carey Career Coach Complete informational interviews Attend W. P. Carey and ASU Career Fairs
 FIN 361: Advanced Managerial Finance	3	C	
 LES 305: Business Law and Ethics for Managers	3	C	
 MGT 300: Principles of Management and Leadership	3	C	
 Upper Division Finance Elective	3	C	
 Upper Division International Business Course AND Global Awareness (G)	3	C	
 Complete Cultural Diversity in the U.S. (C) AND Global Awareness (G) AND Historical Awareness (H) course(s).			

★ Complete FIN 300 AND LES 305 AND MGT 300 AND International Business Course (G) AND MKT 300 AND SCM 300 AND WPC 300 course(s).

Term hours subtotal: 18

★ Term 6 102.75 - 120.00 Credit Hours Necessary course signified by	Hours	Minimum Grade	Notes
★ FIN 421: Security Analysis and Portfolio Management	3	C	• Apply for full-time career opportunities
★ FIN 461: Financial Cases and Modeling (L)	3	C	
★ WPC 480: W. P. Carey Capstone Course (L)	3	C	
★ Upper Division Finance Elective	3	C	
WPC 448: Senior Career Transition Management	0.25	C	
Upper Division Humanities, Arts and Design (HU) OR Upper Division Social-Behavioral Sciences (SB)	3		
Upper Division Elective	2		
Term hours subtotal:	17.25		

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Upper Division Finance Elective - select one course (3 credit hours)	Upper Division International Business Course - select one course (3 credit hrs)
ACC 350: Internal Reporting	AGB 302: International Management and Agribusiness (G)
ACC 440: External Reporting II	ECN 306: Survey of International Economics (SB & G)
FIN 331: Financial Markets and Institutions	MGT 302: Principles of International Business (G)
FIN 427: Derivative Financial Securities	MKT 425: Global Marketing Management (G)
FIN 431: Management of Financial Institutions	SCM 463: Global Supply Chain Management (G)
FIN 455: Entrepreneurial Finance	
FIN 456: International Financial Management (G)	
FIN 471: SIM Fund	
FIN 472: Investment Banking Industry Scholars	
FIN 494: Special Topics	

Notes:

- First-Year Composition: All students are placed in ENG 101 unless submission of SAT, ACT, Accuplacer, IELTS, or TOEFL score, or college-level transfer credit or test credit equivalent to ASU's first-year composition course(s), determine otherwise. Students on Polytechnic, Downtown Phoenix and West Campuses are encouraged to complete the Directed Self-Placement survey to choose the first-year composition option they believe best suits their needs. Visit: <https://cisa.asu.edu/DSP>
- Mathematics Placement Assessment score determines placement in first mathematics course.

Total Hours: 120

Upper Division Hours: 50 minimum

Major GPA: 2.00 minimum

Cumulative GPA: 2.00 minimum

Total hrs at ASU: 30 minimum
Hrs Resident Credit for
Academic Recognition: 56 minimum
Total Community College Hrs: 64 maximum

General University Requirements Legend

General Studies Core Requirements:

- Literacy and Critical Inquiry (L)
- Mathematical Studies (MA)
- Computer/Statistics/Quantitative Applications (CS)
- Humanities, Arts and Design (HU)
- Social-Behavioral Sciences (SB)
- Natural Science - Quantitative (SQ)
- Natural Science - General (SG)

General Studies Awareness Requirements:

- Cultural Diversity in the U.S. (C)
- Global Awareness (G)
- Historical Awareness (H)

First-Year Composition

General Studies designations listed next to courses on the major map were valid for the 2023 - 2024 academic year. Please refer to the course catalog for current General Studies designations at time of class registration. General Studies credit is applied according to the designation the course carries at the time the class is taken.