

MARKETING CONCENTRATION - BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION (B.S.)

The **Marketing concentration in the Business Administration major** provides the foundation for rewarding careers in brand management, digital marketing, marketing research and analytics, services, retailing, and government.

Marketing drives business growth by translating customer needs and aspirations into products, services, and brands. It is a dynamic discipline with the potential to enhance the lives of consumers and society. Changes in the economic environment, emergence of new consumer cohorts, social norms, new media and technologies such as digital, social, AI, and mixed reality alter consumer behavior and their expectations from products, services, and brands. By using data to understand consumer behavior, developing innovative and sustainable products and services, marketers drive brand value for all organizations – local or global, for-profit or non-profit, business-to-consumer or business-to-business.

Building on these principles, students in this program will learn how to blend creativity and data analysis to develop insightful strategies that deliver value to buyers and sellers. This concentration offers students the opportunity to specialize in specific tracks including brand management, digital marketing, and contemporary marketing.

Admission Criteria:

Overall GPA – 3.0

120 credits of coursework is required for the baccalaureate degree with a minimum 2.0 overall GPA, and a minimum 2.0 major GPA.

Degree Requirements Overview

Code	Title	Credits
	New Student Seminar	1
	SEEDS: General Education Requirements	15-18
	Major Requirements	42
	Concentration Requirements	27
	Free Electives	35-32
	Total Credits	120

Major Requirements

Code	Title	Credits
Business Administration Required Core		
<i>Business Fundamentals</i>		
ACCT 204	Fundamentals of Accounting (Students in the Finance concentration take ACCT 201)	3
or ACCT 201	Fundamentals of Financial Accounting	
BSLW 235	Legal, Ethical, and Global Environment of Business	3
BCOM 280	Strategic Business Communications	3
INFO 290	Technology in Business	3
MGMT 201	Business Ethics and Social Impact	3
MGMT 439	Applied Business Strategy	3
<i>Integrated Core</i>		

FINC 300	Integrated Core: Finance	3
INFO 300	Integrated Core: Operations Management	3
MGMT 300	Integrated Core: Management	3
MKTG 300	Integrated Core: Marketing	3

Collateral Courses

ECON 101	Applied Macroeconomics	3
ECON 102	Applied Microeconomics	3
INFO 173	Spreadsheet Modeling for Business Decisions	3
INFO 240	Statistical Methods in Business	3

Business Administration Career Learning

BUGN 310	Campus to Career Transition Course I: Prepare for Your Career	0
BUGN 320	Campus to Career Transition Course II: On the Job Success	0

Total Credits 42

Marketing Concentration Requirements

Code	Title	Credits
Required Concentration Courses		
MKTG 235	Creative Skills in Marketing	3
MKTG 241	Consumer Behavior	3
MKTG 348	Digital Marketing	3
MKTG 442	Marketing Research	3
MKTG 446	Marketing Strategy and Implementation	3

Concentration Electives

Complete 9 credits from any one of the following tracks. A course may only count towards one track:

Brand Management Track

MKTG 360	Brand Management	
MKTG 365	Sustainability Marketing	
MKTG 375	Luxury Marketing	
MKTG 387	New Product Development and Launch Strategy	

Digital Marketing Track

MKTG 390	Content Marketing with Artificial Intelligence	
MKTG 391	Social Media Marketing	
MKTG 395	Digital Marketing Analytics	
MKTG 425	Programmatic Advertising	

Contemporary Marketing Track

MKTG 250	Professional Selling	
MKTG 310	Services Marketing	
MKTG 322	Customer Relationship Management Practicum	
MKTG 342	Sales Management	
MKTG 345	Nonprofit Operations and Marketing	
MKTG 350	Pharmaceutical and Health Care Marketing	
MKTG 360	Brand Management	
MKTG 365	Sustainability Marketing	
MKTG 387	New Product Development and Launch Strategy	
MKTG 390	Content Marketing with Artificial Intelligence	
MKTG 391	Social Media Marketing	
MKTG 395	Digital Marketing Analytics	
MKTG 401	Professional Selling Co-Op Education /Sales Co-Op	
MKTG 425	Programmatic Advertising	
MKTG 443	Sales Leadership and Negotiation	

MKTG 447	Marketing Analytics	
MKTG 490	Marketing Co-op Ed	
MKTG 492	Independent Study in Marketing	
MKTG 493	Special Topics in Marketing	
Business Administration Major Electives		
Complete 3 credits from the list below.		3
Total Credits		27

Business Administration Major Electives

Code	Title	Credits
Required or elective concentration courses will not count as major electives		
Cooperative Education		
COED 401	Cooperative Education Experience I	3-8
COED 402	Cooperative Education Experience II	3-8
COED 403	Cooperative Education Experience III	3-8
COED 404	Cooperative Education Experience IV	3-8
Economics		
ECON 201	Data Analysis Tools in Economics and Business	3
ECON 203	Fundamental Mathematics for Economics	3
ECON 206	Managerial Economics	3
ECON 207	Intermediate Microeconomic Analysis	3
ECON 208	Intermediate Macroeconomic Analysis	3
ECON 215	The Economics of Social Problems	3
ECON 221	Economics of Professional Sports	3
ECON 224	Financial Economics	3
ECON 240	Economics of Time and Mind	3
ECON 301	Money and Banking	3
ECON 303	Economic Growth and Development	3
ECON 308	Public Finance	3
ECON 310	Urban and Regional Economics	3
ECON 311	Labor Economics	3
ECON 314	Development of Economic Thought	3
ECON 317	Optimization Methods for Economics	3
ECON 321	Economics of Industrial Organization	3
ECON 324	Capital Markets and Financial Institutions	3
ECON 370	International Economics	3
ECON 371	World Trade and Investment	3
ECON 381	Global Economies and Markets	3
ECON 390	Applied Econometrics	3
ECON 395	Business Forecasting and Analytics	3
ECON 398	Economics Independent Study	1-3
ECON 405	Economic Development of Sub-Saharan Africa	3
ECON 408	Strategic Thinking and Game Theory	3
ECON 422	Globalization and World Development	3
ECON 430	International Macroeconomic Policy	3
Entrepreneurship		
ENTR 201	The Entrepreneurial Mindset and Innovation	3
ENTR 260	Introduction to Innovation and 3D Printing	3
ENTR 290	Special Topics in Entrepreneurship	3
ENTR 301	Creating Your Startup Business Model	3
ENTR 302	Preparing to Pitch and Launch Your Startup	3

ENTR 303	Create and Pitch Your Startup	6
ENTR 310	Entrepreneurial Accounting and Finance	3
ENTR 320	Marketing for Entrepreneurs	3
ECON 322	Health Economics and Policy	3
ENTR 350	Entrepreneurship Cooperative Education	1-3
ENTR 360	Advanced Innovation and Digitally Mediated Making	3
ECON 381	Global Economies and Markets	3
ENTR 401	The Legal Entrepreneurial Journey	3
ENTR 420	Growing Your Startup Company	3
ENTR 460	Applied Digital Innovation Design, and Lean Fabrication	3

Finance		
FINC 209	Personal Finance	3
FINC 221	Introduction to Finance	3
FINC 318	Introduction to Financial Planning	3
FINC 322	Corporate Finance	3
FINC 326	Investments	3
FINC 327	International Financial Management	3
FINC 350	Special Topics in Finance	3
FINC 361	Financial Technology	3
FINC 372	Securities Industry Essentials	3
FINC 391	Blockchain and Cryptoassets for Finance	3
FINC 410	Computer Applications in Economics and Finance	3
FINC 423	Advanced Corporate Finance	3
FINC 425	Working Capital Management	3
FINC 430	Financial Derivatives	3
FINC 431	Advanced International Financial Management	3
FINC 490	Advanced Investment Analysis	3
FINC 491	Cooperative Education in Finance	3-8
FINC 495	Student Managed Fund	3

Hospitality and Tourism		
HSET 208	Leisure and Recreation in Society	3
HSET 250	Introduction to Hospitality and Tourism	3
HSET 255	Professional Development in Hospitality, Sports, Events, Tourism	3
HSET 260	Sport Sales	3
HSET 302	Managing Facilities in Hospitality, Sports, Events, and Tourism	3
HSET 315	International Tourism Marketing and Management	3
HSET 320	Sport Marketing	3
HSET 321	Events and Entertainment Management and Marketing I	3
HSET 325	Service Management	3
HSET 330	Resort and Cruise Management	3
HSET 335	International Experience in Hospitality, Sports, Events, and Tourism	3
HSET 340	Restaurant Management and Operations	3
HSET 350	Club Management	3
HSET 353	Legal Issues in Hospitality and Tourism	3
HSET 354	Analytics for Sports and Entertainment Industries	3
HSET 355	Hospitality, Sports, Events, and Tourism Co-op Ed	3

HSET 356	Entertainment, Theme Park, and Attractions Industries	3	Management		
HSET 360	Casino Management	3	MGMT 250	Introduction to Neurodiversity and Neuroinclusive Practice	3
HSET 365	Event Marketing and Management II	3	MGMT 295	Elements of Business	3
HSET 366	Hospitality Financial Management	3	MGMT 305	Negotiations in the Workplace	3
HSET 370	Customer Relationship Management (CRM) Technologies in Hospitality	3	MGMT 314	Corporate Social Responsibility: Global Strategies	3
HSET 375	Property and Community Association Management	3	MGMT 315	Organizational Behavior	3
HSET 380	Lodging Management	3	MGMT 316	Human Resource Management	3
HSET 385	Human Resource Management in Hospitality, Sports, Events, and Tourism	3	MGMT 318	Leadership	3
HSET 390	Food and Beverage Management	3	MGMT 327	Training, Development, and Career Planning	3
HSET 392	Special Topics in Hospitality Management	1-6	MGMT 332	Diversity In Business	3
HSET 395	Information Systems and Technology in Hospitality, Sports, Events, and Tourism	3	MGMT 335	Small Business Management	3
HSET 480	Revenue Management in Hospitality, Sports, Events, and Tourism	3	MGMT 350	Neuroinclusive Workplaces and Professional Practice	3
HSET 492	Independent Study in Hospitality, Sports, Events, and Tourism	1-3	MGMT 355	Neuroinclusive Leadership Development	3
HSET 493	Special Topics in Leisure and Tourism	3	MGMT 356	Cross-Cultural Behavior and Management	3
International Business			MGMT 363	Business and Society	3
INBS 250	Introduction to International Business	3	MGMT 392	Management Cooperative Education	3
INBS 347	Export/Import Marketing Process	3	MGMT 415	Organizational Theory: Macro Approaches	3
INBS 349	International Marketing	3	MGMT 416	Global Talent Management	3
INBS 350	Cross-Cultural Behavior and Negotiation	3	MGMT 417	Total Rewards: Compensation and Benefits	3
INBS 440	International Retailing	3	MGMT 431	Strategic Business Execution	3
INBS 482	International Business Co-op Ed	3	MGMT 433	Entrepreneurship and Innovation	3
Information and Decision Science			MGMT 436	Strategic Project Management	3
INFO 230	Introduction to Business Co-Op Work Exp	3-6	MGMT 491	Business Consulting	3
INFO 299	Special Topics in Data and Technology	3	MGMT 492	Special Topics in Management	1-3
INFO 301	Business Decision Making	3	Marketing		
INFO 306	Introduction to Web Development	3	MKTG 241	Consumer Behavior	3
INFO 342	Information Technology Infrastructure	3	MKTG 250	Professional Selling	3
INFO 351	Fundamentals of Project Management	3	MKTG 307	Retail Marketing and Management	3
INFO 360	MIS Co-Op	3	MKTG 309	Buying and Distribution Strategies	3
INFO 361	Information Technology Projects	3	MKTG 310	Services Marketing	3
INFO 366	Managing Big Data and Cloud Computing	3	MKTG 322	Customer Relationship Management Practicum	3
INFO 367	Introduction to Data Mining	3	MKTG 325	Practicum in E-Retailing	3
INFO 390	Digital Transformation	3	MKTG 342	Sales Management	3
INFO 391	Blockchain Technology	3	MKTG 344	Integrated Marketing Communications	3
INFO 395	Business Analytics and Artificial Intelligence Strategy	3	MKTG 345	Nonprofit Operations and Marketing	3
INFO 414	Information Security System Management	3	MKTG 348	Digital Marketing	3
INFO 416	Business Process Analysis and Enterprise Systems	3	MKTG 350	Pharmaceutical and Health Care Marketing	3
INFO 470	Electronic Commerce: Creating Business Value Using Information Technology	3	MKTG 351	Retail Co-op Education	3
INFO 476	Data Mining for Business	3	MKTG 360	Brand Management	3
INFO 488	Business Application with Artificial Intelligent (AI) Systems	3	MKTG 365	Sustainability Marketing	3
INFO 491	Independent Study in Information Systems	3	MKTG 441	Digital Selling	3
INFO 492	Special Topics in Information Systems	1-3	MKTG 442	Marketing Research	3
INFO 496	Advanced Systems Analysis and Design	3	MKTG 443	Sales Leadership and Negotiation	3
			MKTG 446	Marketing Strategy and Implementation	3
			MKTG 447	Marketing Analytics	3
			MKTG 451	Internship in Retail Management	3
			MKTG 483	Seminar in Retail Management	3
			MKTG 490	Marketing Co-op Ed	3
			MKTG 492	Independent Study in Marketing	1-3
			MKTG 493	Special Topics in Marketing	1-3

Real Estate

REAL 204	Real Estate Principles and Practice	3
REAL 305	Commercial Real Estate Analysis	3
REAL 360	Mortgage and Fixed Income Analysis	3
REAL 405	Real Estate Development	3
REAL 460	Real Estate Investments	3

New Student Seminar

Code	Title	Credits
Students in the Adult Learner program must take GNED 100.		
Complete one course from the following. Some courses may be restricted by major. Consult with an academic advisor.		1
ADVS 198	Pathways to Success	
CHEM 190	Freshman Seminar in Chemistry	
FYS 100	First Year Seminar	
GNED 100	Adult Academic Success Seminar	
GNED 199	New Student Seminar	
HPEM 199	Freshman Seminar in Health and Physical Education	
IDS 155	Pathways to Adult Learning	
JUST 199	New Student Seminar	
MATH 102	New Student Experience for Mathematical Sciences	
MUGN 199	Freshman Seminar for Music Majors	
NURS 199	Introduction to Nursing	
POLS 199	Freshman Seminar in Political Science and Law	

SEEDS General Education Requirements

Click here for a list of courses that fulfill the SEEDS requirements. (<http://catalog.montclair.edu/programs/seeds-general-education-requirements/>)

Code	Title	Credits
Foundations		
<i>Effective Writing I</i>		
Complete one Effective Writing I course.		3
<i>Effective Writing II</i>		
Fulfilled by BCOM 280 in the major.		
<i>Interactive Communication</i>		
Complete one Interactive Communication course.		3
<i>Quantitative Reasoning</i>		
Fulfilled by INFO 240 in the major.		
<i>Political and Civic Life</i>		
Fulfilled by ECON 102 in the major.		
<i>World Languages</i>		
Complete two sequential classes in one World Language when starting at the Beginner I or Beginner II level. Complete one class when starting at the Intermediate/Advanced Level.		3-6
Exploration		
Complete one course from four different Exploration categories.		6
<i>Analyzing Cultures and Societies</i>		
Fulfilled by ECON 101 in the major.		
<i>Creative Expression</i>		
<i>Ethical Inquiry</i>		

Fulfilled by MGMT 201 in the major.

Historical Thinking

Literary and Artistic Analysis

Scientific Reasoning

Total Credits **15-18**

Recommended Roadmap to Degree Completion

This recommended degree plan is provided as an outline for students to follow in order to complete their degree requirements within four years and 120 credits. This plan is a recommendation and MUST be used in consultation with their academic advisor. Important note: Students should be aware this plan assumes no pre-requisite coursework is required. If pre-requisite coursework is needed, students may have additional requirements to fulfill which do not appear on the plan.

First Year

Fall	Credits	Spring	Credits
New Student Seminar		1 BCOM 280 (Fulfills SEEDS: Effective Writing II)	3
SEEDS: Effective Writing I		3 INFO 240 (Fulfills SEEDS: Quantitative Reasoning)	3
ECON 102 (Fulfills SEEDS: Political and Civic Life)		3 ECON 101 (Fulfills SEEDS: Exploration – Analyzing Cultures and Societies)	3
MGMT 201 (Fulfills SEEDS: Exploration – Ethical Inquiry)		3 ACCT 204	3
INFO 173		3 MKTG 235	3
MATH 100 (or Free Elective)		3	
		16	15

Second Year

Fall	Credits	Spring	Credits
MKTG 241		3 SEEDS: Interactive Communication	3
FINC 300		3 BSLW 235	3
INFO 300		3 INFO 290	3
MGMT 300		3 MKTG 348	3
MKTG 300		3 BUGN 320	0
BUGN 310		0 Free Elective	3
		15	15

Third Year

Fall	Credits	Spring	Credits
SEEDS: World Language 1		3 SEEDS: World Language 2	3
MKTG 442		3 MKTG 446	3
Concentration Elective 1		3 Concentration Elective 3	3
Concentration Elective 2		3 Free Elective	3
Free Elective		3 Free Elective	3
		15	15

Fourth Year

Fall	Credits	Spring	Credits
SEEDS: Exploration 3	3	SEEDS: Exploration 4	3
MGMT 439	3	Free Elective	3
Major Elective	3	Free Elective	3
Free Elective	3	Free Elective	3
Free Elective	3	Free Elective	2
	15		14

Total Credits 120