

Program Change Request

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Viewing: **BS-AGBU : Agribusiness - BS**

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Academic level	Undergraduate
Effective Term	2019-2020
Department	Agricultural Economics
College	Agriculture & Life Sciences
Program type	Degree
Degree designation	BS - Bachelor of Science
With a major in	Agribusiness (AGBU)
Associated Program	Not Applicable
Catalog Program Title	Agribusiness - BS
CIP and Fund code	01010200

Rationale for Proposal

Math 140 is the prerequisite for the required Math 142. Making change to reflect the requirements of Math 142.

Footnote #8 - Added to reflect University requirements

Program hours	120
Is this program eligible for financial aid?	No
Will program hours change (increase/decrease) due to the proposed curriculum changes?	No
Program delivery mode	On-campus

Catalog Program Requirements

In Workflow

1. **AGEC Department Head**
2. **Curricular Services Review**
3. **AG Committee Preparer UG**
4. **AG Committee Chair UG**
5. **AG College Dean UG**
6. **UCC Preparer**
7. **UCC Chair**
8. **Faculty Senate Preparer**
9. Faculty Senate
10. Provost II
11. President
12. Curricular Services

Approval Path

1. 09/21/18 9:43 am
Mark L. Waller (mwaller): Approved for AGEC Department Head
2. 09/25/18 8:11 am
Angel Mario Carrizales (carri1214): Rollback to Initiator
3. 10/04/18 11:36 am
Norma Pantoja (nbpantoja): Approved for AGEC Department Head
4. 10/08/18 9:02 am
Angel Mario Carrizales (carri1214): Rollback to Initiator
5. 10/23/18 2:49 pm
Norma Pantoja (nbpantoja): Approved for AGEC Department Head
6. 10/24/18 3:08 pm
Angel Mario Carrizales (carri1214): Approved for Curricular Services Review
7. 10/24/18 3:13 pm
Dawn Kerstetter (dkerstetter): Approved for AG Committee Preparer UG
8. 11/02/18 11:42 am
Bob Knight (bob-knight): Approved for AG Committee Chair UG
9. 11/02/18 12:45 pm
Dawn Kerstetter

(dkerstetter): Approved
for AG College Dean UG

10. 11/06/18 9:16 am
Sandra Williams
(sandra-williams):
Approved for UCC
Preparer

11. 12/10/18 10:57 am
Terra Bissett (t.bissett):
Approved for UCC Chair

History

1. Aug 23, 2016 by Sandra Williams (sandra-williams)
2. Feb 27, 2017 by Carissa Beamon (cbeamon92)
3. Mar 8, 2017 by Donna Chester (dchester)

Plan of Study Grid

First Year		Semester Credit Hours
Fall		
AGEC 105	Introduction to Agricultural Economics 1	3
MATH 141	Finite Mathematics	3
	or MATH 140 or Mathematics for Business and Social Sciences	
MATH 140	Mathematics for Business and Social Sciences	3
American History 2		3
Communication elective 3		3
Life and physical sciences elective		3
	Semester Credit Hours	15
Spring		
AGEC 117	Critical Thinking and Decision Making in Agricultural Economics 41	4
MATH 142	Business Calculus	3
American History 2		3
Creative arts elective 5		3
Language, philosophy and culture elective 5		3
Life and physical sciences elective		3
	Semester Credit Hours	16
Second Year		
Fall		
ACCT 229	Introductory Accounting	3
ECON 202	Principles of Economics	3
MGMT 211	Legal and Social Environment of Business	3
Government/Political science elective 2		3
Life and physical sciences elective		3
	Semester Credit Hours	15
Spring		
ACCT 230	Introductory Accounting	3
AGEC 217	Fundamentals of Agricultural Economics Analysis	3
ECON 203	Principles of Economics	3
Communication elective 3		3
Government/Political science elective 2		3
	Semester Credit Hours	15
Third Year		
Fall		
AGEC 340	Agribusiness Management	3
ECON 323	Microeconomic Theory	3
FINC 341	Business Finance	3
MKTG 321	Marketing	3
	Select one of the following:	3
SCMT 303	Statistical Methods	3
STAT 301	Introduction to Biometry	3
STAT 302	Statistical Methods	3

STAT 303	Statistical Methods	
	Semester Credit Hours	15
Spring		
AGEC 317	Economic Analysis for Agribusiness Management	3
AGEC 429	Agricultural Policy 4	3
MGMT 363	Managing People in Organizations	3
SCMT 364	Operations Management	3
Directed elective-international 6		3
	Semester Credit Hours	15
Fourth Year		
Fall		
AGEC 431	Cases in Agribusiness Finance	3
AGEC 481	Ethics in Agribusiness and Agricultural Economics	1
Directed elective-international 6		3
General electives 7		5
General electives 5,8		4
Technical agricultural elective 5,7		3
	Semester Credit Hours	14
Spring		
AGEC 414	Agribusiness and Food Market Analysis	3
Select one of the following:		3
AGEC 430	Macroeconomics of Agriculture	
ECON 311	Money and Banking	
ECON 410	Macroeconomic Theory	
AGEC 440	Agribusiness Strategic Analysis	3
General electives 5,8		6
	Semester Credit Hours	15
	Total Semester Credit Hours	120

1 Satisfies the University Core Curriculum Social and Behavioral Sciences requirement.

2 For those students under ROTC contract, see Requirement 7 of the [Requirements for a Baccalaureate Degree](#).

3 Three hours must be selected from [ENGL 103](#) or [ENGL 104](#).

4 All undergraduate students must take at least two (2) specific courses in their major designated as writing intensive (W). This course is an approved W course.

5 The Graduation requirements include 3 hours of [cultural discourse](#) courses. A course satisfying a Core category, a college/department requirement, or a free elective can be used to satisfy this requirement. See academic advisor.

6 Six hours required. A complete list of approved international electives is available in the college Undergraduate Program Office, Room 214 of the Agriculture and Life Sciences Building, or can be found on our [website](#).

7 Three hours of technical agriculture electives to be selected from any course offered by the College of Agriculture and Life Sciences except 285s, 484s, 485s and agricultural economics courses. To be selected in consultation with an advisor.

8 Any Texas A&M or transfer course (except [KINE 198](#) and [KINE 199](#); [STLC 001-STLC 003](#)) not used to meet other requirements.

Agribusiness Core Business Knowledge ~~Common Body of Knowledge~~

Course List

Code	Title	Semester Credit Hours
ACCT 229	Introductory Accounting	3
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AGEC 217	Fundamentals of Agricultural Economics Analysis	3
AGEC 440	Agribusiness Strategic Analysis	3
AGEC 481	Ethics in Agribusiness and Agricultural Economics	1
ECON 202	Principles of Economics	3
ECON 203	Principles of Economics	3
FINC 341	Business Finance	3
MGMT 211	Legal and Social Environment of Business	3
MGMT 363	Managing People in Organizations	3
MKTG 321	Marketing	3
SCMT 364	Operations Management	3
Select one of the following:		3
SCMT 303	Statistical Methods	
STAT 301	Introduction to Biometry	
STAT 302	Statistical Methods	
STAT 303	Statistical Methods	
Total Semester Credit Hours		37

BS in Agribusiness Major Field

Code	Title	Semester Credit Hours
AGEC 105	Introduction to Agricultural Economics	3
AGEC 117	Critical Thinking and Decision Making in Agricultural Economics	1
AGEC 317	Economic Analysis for Agribusiness Management	3
AGEC 340	Agribusiness Management	3
AGEC 414	Agribusiness and Food Market Analysis	3
AGEC 429	Agricultural Policy	3
AGEC 431	Cases in Agribusiness Finance	3
ECON 323	Microeconomic Theory	3
Select one of the following:		3
AGEC 430	Macroeconomics of Agriculture	
ECON 311	Money and Banking	
ECON 410	Macroeconomic Theory	
Total Semester Credit Hours		25

Additional information

Required Proposal [Letter_for_AgEc_from_Meer.pdf](#)
Forms [agbu.pdf](#)
[PresidentApprovalFacultySenateItems121216.pdf](#)
[DOC052.pdf](#)

Reviewer Comments **Angel Mario Carrizales (carri1214) (03/21/17 4:35 pm)**: Removed 2017-2018 proposal documents.
Angel Mario Carrizales (carri1214) (03/21/17 4:37 pm): Rollback: This type of change is not editorial. Please upload an edited degree evaluation reflecting proposed curriculum changes for 2018-2019.
Angel Mario Carrizales (carri1214) (09/25/18 8:11 am): Rollback: Please address the following. 1) Footnote numbering needs to be updated to reflect the order in which a note is first used in the plan of study grid. 2) Upload an edited degree evaluation reflecting the proposed curriculum changes for 2018-2019.
Angel Mario Carrizales (carri1214) (10/08/18 9:02 am): Rollback: Please address the following: 1) STAT 301, STAT 302, STAT 303 are listed in the Agribusiness Core Business Knowledge table, but not in the Plan of Study grid. If these courses can be used to meet the degree requirements, they needed to be listed in the Plan of study grid (Third Year, Fall) and on the degree evaluation. 2) ECON 410 is on the degree evaluation (proposed rule H, Major Coursework) but is missing in the Catalog. Can ECON 410 be used to meet the requirements?
Angel Mario Carrizales (carri1214) (10/24/18 3:07 pm): Initial concerns addressed.
Terra Bissett (t.bissett) (12/10/18 10:57 am): UCC approved December 2018.

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Detail Requirements

Donna P. Adcock
Sep 26, 2018 09:48 am

Viewing: Degree Evaluation (DEGEVAL, , Email)
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Information for Degree Evaluation

This is NOT an official evaluation.

Print Instructions

Program Evaluation

Limitation Correspondence: No more than 12 hours of correspondence earned through an accredited institution may be used for an undergraduate degree.

Limitation Combination: Maximum combination of 18 hours of 481, 482, 485 and/or 491 courses may be used for an undergraduate degree.

Limitation No more than 50% of courses required for the degree plan can be taken as Distance Education Courses for non-distance degree programs.

Limitation Only one of the following will satisfy the requirements for a degree: GENE 301, GENE 302, GENE 315, and GENE 320.

Limitation Only one of the following will satisfy the requirements for a degree: MATH 131, MATH 142, MATH 147, MATH 151, and MATH 171.

Limitation Only one of the following will satisfy the requirements for a degree: MATH 140, MATH 141, and MATH 166.

Limitation Only one of the following will satisfy the requirements for a degree: MATH 148, MATH 152, and MATH 172.

Limitation Only one of the following will satisfy the requirements for a degree: MATH 221, MATH 251, and MATH 253.

Limitation Only one of the following will satisfy the requirements for a degree: MATH 304, MATH 309, MATH 311, and MATH 323.

Limitation Only one of the following will satisfy the requirements for a degree: STAT 301, STAT 302, and STAT 303.

Program :	BS AGBU [Agr & Life Science]	Catalog Term :	Summer 2018 - College Station
Campus :	College Station	Evaluation Term :	Fall 2018 - College Station
College :	Agriculture & Life Sciences	Expected Graduation Date :	
Degree :	Bachelor of Science	Request Number :	9
Level :	Undergraduate	Results as of :	Sep 26, 2018
Majors :	Agribusiness	Minors :	
Departments :	Agricultural Economics	Concentrations :	

	Met	Credits	Courses		
		Required	Used	Required	Used
Total Required :	No	120.000	0.000		0
Program GPA :	Yes	.00	.00		
Overall GPA :	No	2.00	.00		
Other Course Information					
Transfer :			0.000		0

This is NOT an official evaluation.

Area Major Coursework (²²21.000 credits) - Not Met

Met	Condition	Rule	Subject	Attribute	Low	High	Required Credits	Required Courses	Term	Subject	Course	Title	Attribute	Credits	Grade	Source
No		B.*	AGEC 317				A. AGECE 117									
No	AND	C.*	AGEC 340													
No	AND	D.*	AGEC 414													
No	AND	E.*	AGEC 429													
No	AND	F.*	AGEC 431													
No	AND	G.*	ECON 323 3hrs													
No	AND	H.*	AGEC/FINC Elect 3hrs													

Select from AGECE 430; ECON 311, 410.

Total Credits and GPA 0.000 .00

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Area Supporting Coursework (9.000 credits) - Not Met

Met	Condition	Rule	Subject	Attribute	Low	High	Required Credits	Required Courses	Term	Subject	Course	Title	Attribute	Credits	Grade	Source
No		A.	Technical Ag Elect 3hrs													
Select from AGCJ 105, 305-306, 404, 406-407; AGLS 101, 201, 225; AGSM 125, 201, 301, 335, 355, 360, 403, 461, 475; ALED 289, 340, 342, 440-441, 489; ANSC 108, 201, 207, 210, 289, 305, 307, 310-312, 314-317, 335, 337, 402, 411, 421, 433-434, 437-439, 457, 489; BESE 314, 320, 357, 367; DASC 202, 204, 330-331; ENTO 201, 208, 210, 289, 300, 306, 315, 320, 330, 401-403, 405, 423, 431-432, 450-451, 482, 489; FIVS 205; FRSC 101-102, 302, 304-307, 311, 314, 409, 420-421, 430, 461; FSTC 201, 210, 289, 307, 311, 330-331, 446, 489; HORT 101, 202, 203, 223, 291, 301-302, 306, 308-309, 311, 315, 319, 325-326, 332, 335, 418-423, 425, 427-429, 431-432, 435, 440, 442, 445-446, 451-454, 489, 491; NUTR 202, 210, 289; POSC 289, 291, 302, 304, 309, 313, 319, 326, 333, 381, 402, 425, 427, 489; RLEM 102-103, 301-302, 305, 314, 317, 324, 401, 415-416, 489; RENR 201, 375, 400, 405, 410, 420, 444, 460, 470, 489; RPTS 101, 201-202, 209, 301, 307-308, 311, 316, 320, 331, 340, 360, 370, 372, 374, 401, 403, 408, 420, 423, 426, 446, 476, 489; SCSG 201, 335, 355, 360, 403, 461, 475; VIBS 404, 409, 413, VLCS 409, VTPB 221, 301, 303; VTPP 323, 401, WFSC 101, 301, 303, 304, 327, 403, 420-421, 423, 425, 427-428, 450, 451.																
No	AND	B.	International Electives 6hrs													
Select from ACCT 445; AGECE 401-402, 452-453; ANTH 205, 300, 314; ARCH 458; COMM 335; ECON 320, 324, 330, 452; EURO 323, 443-444, 447; FINC 445; FREN 301, 322-323, 336, 418, 425; GEOG 202, 311, 320-321, 323, 325, 327, 402, 420; GERM 322; HIST 210, 324, 336, 339, 342, 345-346, 348, 352, 355-356, 402, 407, 412, 439, 441, 449, 464, 477; IBUS 401-403, 445-446, 450, 452, 455-460; MGMT 450, 452, 457; MKTG 401-403; MODL 352, 362-363; POLS 229, 231, 322-324, 326, 328, 338, 365, 424, 432; SOCI 325, 329, 423; SPAN 312, 320, 410-412, 421, 450; SPMT 337; WGST 463, 477.																
														Total Credits and <u>GPA</u>	0.000	.00

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Area : Common Body of Knowledge (CBK) (37.000 credits) - Not Met

Description CBK GPA Rqmt: A minimum GPA of 2.00. Transfer grades are not calculated in GPA requirement for CBK.

Met	Condition	Rule	Subject	Attribute	Low	High	Required Credits	Required Courses	Term	Subject	Course	Title	Attribute	Credits	Grade	Source
No		A.	ACCT	229												
No	AND	B.	ACCT	230												
No	AND	C.	AGECE	440												
No	AND	D.	SCMT	364												
No	AND	E.	ECON	202												
No	AND	F.	ECON	203												
No	AND	G.	FINC	341												
No	AND	H.	MGMT	211												
No	AND	I.	MGMT	363												
No	AND	J.	MKTG	321												
No	AND	K.	AGECE	217												
No	AND	L.	SCMT	303												
No	AND	M.	AGECE	481												
														Total Credits and <u>GPA</u>	0.000	.00

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Area Communication (6.000 credits) - Not Met

Met	Condition	Rule	Subject	Attribute	Low	High	Required Credits	Required Courses	Term	Subject	Course	Title	Attribute	Credits	Grade	Source
No		A.	ENGL	103 or 104												
No	AND	B.	Communication Rqmt 3hrs													
Select from any course with the KCOM attribute.																
														Total Credits and <u>GPA</u>	0.000	.00

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Area Mathematics (6.000 credits) - Not Met

Met	Condition	Rule	Subject	Attribute	Low	High	Required Credits	Required Courses	Term	Subject	Course	Title	Attribute	Credits	Grade	Source
No		A.	MATH 141 or	MATH 140	3hrs											
No	AND	B.	MATH 142	3hrs												
Total Credits and <u>GPA</u>														0.000	.00	

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Area Life and Physical Sciences (9.000 credits) - Not Met

Met	Condition	Rule	Subject	Attribute	Low	High	Required Credits	Required Courses	Term	Subject	Course	Title	Attribute	Credits	Grade	Source
No		A.	Life/Physical Sciences	9hrs												
Select 9 hours from any courses with the Life and Physical Sciences attribute [KLPS].																
Total Credits and <u>GPA</u>														0.000	.00	

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Area Language, Philosophy & Culture (3.000 credits) - Not Met

Met	Condition	Rule	Subject	Attribute	Low	High	Required Credits	Required Courses	Term	Subject	Course	Title	Attribute	Credits	Grade	Source
No		A.	Lang, Phil, Culture Rqmt	3hrs												
Select any course with the Language, Philosophy and Culture attribute [KLPC].																
Total Credits and <u>GPA</u>														0.000	.00	

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Area Creative Arts (3.000 credits) - Not Met

Met	Condition	Rule	Subject	Attribute	Low	High	Required Credits	Required Courses	Term	Subject	Course	Title	Attribute	Credits	Grade	Source
No		A.	Creative Arts Requirement	3hrs												
Select three hours from any course with the Creative Arts attribute [KCRA].																
Total Credits and <u>GPA</u>														0.000	.00	

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Area Social and Behavioral Science (3.000 credits) - Not Met

Met	Condition	Rule	Subject	Attribute	Low	High	Required Credits	Required Courses	Term	Subject	Course	Title	Attribute	Credits	Grade	Source
No		A.	AGEC 105													
Total Credits and <u>GPA</u>														0.000	.00	

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Area : Citizenship (12.000 credits) - Not Met

Description Completion of 4 semesters of Upper-Level ROTC may be substituted for 3 hours of American History and 3 hours of Political Science.

Met	Condition	Rule	Subject	Attribute	Low	High	Required	Required	Term	Subject	Course	Title	Attribute	Credits	Grade	Source
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Credits Courses

No A. American History Rqmt 6hrs
Select from any course with the [KHIS] attribute.

No AND B. Political Science Rqmt 6hrs
Take POLS 206 and POLS 207.

Total Credits and GPA 0.000 .00

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Area General Electives (10 Credits) - Not Met

Met	Condition	Rule	Subject	Attribute	Low	High	Required Credits	Required Courses	Term	Subject	Course	Title	Attribute	Credits	Grade	Source
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No A. General Electives ~~4 hrs~~ 10 hours
Select from any 100-499 numbered course (excluding KINE 198, 199).

Total Credits and GPA 0.000 .00

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Area : Work Not Applied - Met
Description See advisor for acceptable substitutions.

Met	Condition	Rule	Subject	Attribute	Low	High	Required Credits	Required Courses	Term	Subject	Course	Title	Attribute	Credits	Grade	Source
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No A. Courses not applied

Total Credits and GPA 0.000 .00

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Area University Writing Requirement - Not Met

Met	Condition	Rule	Subject	Attribute	Low	High	Required Credits	Required Courses	Term	Subject	Course	Title	Attribute	Credits	Grade	Source
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No A. Writing Requirement
Two courses required.
Only sections of AGE 217, 429, 431 with the Writing attribute [UWRT] may be used to satisfy this requirement.

Total Credits and GPA 0.000 .00

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Area Int'l & Cult Diversity - Not Met

Met	Condition	Rule	Subject	Attribute	Low	High	Required Credits	Required Courses	Term	Subject	Course	Title	Attribute	Credits	Grade	Source
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No A. Int'l & Cultural Diversity 6hr
Select from courses with the International and Cultural Diversity attribute [UICD] (except sections of BUSN 289 with the UWRT attribute).

Total Credits and GPA 0.000 .00

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Area Foreign Language - Not Met

Met	Condition	Rule	Subject	Attribute	Low	High	Required Credits	Required Courses	Term	Subject	Course	Title	Attribute	Credits	Grade	Source
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No A. Foreign Language Rqmt
Complete one of the following:
1. Two years of the same foreign language in High School.

2. A two semester sequence of the same foreign language for University credit.

Total Credits and GPA 0.000 .00

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Area : Residence Requirement - Not Met

Description A minimum of 36 hours of 300-400 level coursework must be completed at Texas A&M University. 12 hours must be in the major field.

Met	Condition	Rule	Subject	Attribute	Low	High	Required Credits	Required Courses	Term	Subject	Course Title	Attribute	Credits	Grade	Source
No		A.	Residence-Major	12hrs				Select 12hrs from AGEC 300-499.							
No	AND	B.	Residence-300-499	24hrs				Select 24hrs from any 300-400 level course at Texas A&M University. (exclude IBUS 301; SABR 300-399).							

Total Credits and GPA 0.000 .00

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Area : GPR-Major - Not Met

Description A minimum GPR of 2.000 is required in all major field of studies courses.

Met	Condition	Rule	Subject	Attribute	Low	High	Required Credits	Required Courses	Term	Subject	Course Title	Attribute	Credits	Grade	Source
No		A.	Major GPR	24+ hrs				Includes AGEC 105, 317, 340, 414, 429-431, 452-453; ECON 311, 322-323, 410. 117,							

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