

FOUR-YEAR STUDENT DEGREE PLAN 2023-2024 ACADEMIC YEAR

Degree:	Bachelor of Arts	Credits required for degree:	120
Major:	Marketing	Credits required in major:	48
Concentration:	Entertainment Industry	Estimated semesters to complete this degree plan:	8

1st Semester Courses (Typically the Fall Semester)	Credit Hours	2nd Semester Courses (Typically the Spring Semester)	Credit Hours
Total Semester Credit Hours		Total Semester Credit Hours	15
BUSE 101 Introduction to Marketing	3	BUSE 155 Business of Film and Television	3
BUSE 109 Information Management	3	BUSE 140 Promotional Marketing	3
ENGL 111 Writing and Rhetoric I (Core)	3	ENGL 112 Writing and Rhetoric II (Core)	3
Columbia Core Requirement (CCCX)	3	Columbia Core Requirement	3
College-Wide Elective	3	College-Wide Elective	3
3rd Semester Courses (Typically the Fall Semester)		4th Semester Courses (Typically the Spring Semester)	Credit Hours
Total Semester Credit Hours	15	Total Semester Credit Hours	15
BUSE 220 Entertainment Marketing	3	BUSE 205 Law for Creative Industries	3
BUSE 253 Marketing Research	3	BUSE 260 Brands and Branding	3
BUSE 210 Economics for Creatives	3	BUSE 358 Marketing Data Analytics	3
Columbia Core Requirement (CCCX)	3	Columbia Core Requirement	3
Columbia Core Requirement	3	Columbia Core Requirement	3
5th Semester Courses (Typically the Fall Semester)	Credit Hours	6th Semester Courses (Typically the Spring Semester)	Credit Hours
Total Semester Credit Hours	15	Total Semester Credit Hours	15
BUSE 360 Developing a Marketing Plan	3	BUSE 381 Box Office Management and Ticketing Strategies	3
BUSE 363 Marketing and Branding Yourself		BUSE 332 Managing & Licensing Intellectual Property	3
Columbia Core Requirement		Columbia Core Requirement (CCCX)	3
Columbia Core Requirement		Columbia Core Requirement	3
College-Wide Elective		College-Wide Elective	3
7th Semester Courses (Typically the Fall Semester)	Credit Hours	8th Semester Courses (Typically the Spring Semester)	Credit Hours
Total Semester Credit Hours		Total Semester Credit Hours	15
BUSE 378 Sponsorship	3	BUSE 475 or BUSE 476 or BUSE 489: Select 1 Practicum	3
Columbia Core Requirement		Columbia Core Requirement	3
College-Wide Elective		College-Wide Elective	3
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Notes on the Four-Year Student Degree Plan:

This degree plan is a suggested sequence only. Students should consult with their Academic Advisors and Academic Departments to develop their unique individual plans.

Columbia Core Requirements include English, Mathematics, Sciences, Literature, Humanities, History, Social Sciences and Columbia Experience classes. Students should review their individual Degree Audits for their specific requirements.

Major Electives include courses required to be completed to finish a major, and students will choose from a list of Major Electives in the course catalog.

College-Wide Electives include all courses and credits not specifically applied towards the Columbia Core or Major Requirements.

All degree-seeking undergraduate students are required to complete 6 credits of **Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion (DEI)** coursework. All degree-seeking undergraduate students are required to complete 9 credits of **advanced (200 or higher level)** coursework in the Columbia Core.

Students are encouraged to consider declaring a Minor to complete their required College-Wide Elective credits.

Full-time status at Columbia College Chicago is a minimum of 12 attempted credits per semester, but the cost of tuition is the same for 12-18 attempted credits. Students are encouraged to attempt 15-16 credits each semester for financial reasons and to complete their degree (120-128 minimum credits) in a timely fashion.



TRANSFER STUDENT DEGREE PLAN 2023-2024 ACADEMIC YEAR

Degree:	Bachelor of Arts	Credits required for degree:	120
Major:	Marketing	Credits required in major:	48
Concentration:	Entertainment Industry	Estimated semesters to complete this degree plan:	4

1st Semester Courses (Typically the Fall Semester)		2nd Semester Courses (Typically the Spring Semester)	Credit Hours
Total Semester Credit Hours		Total Semester Credit Hours	15
BUSE 101 Introduction to Marketing		BUSE 205 Law for Creative Industries	3
BUSE 109 Information Management		BUSE 210 Economics for Creatives	3
BUSE 140 Promotional Marketing		BUSE 253 Marketing Research	3
BUSE 155 Business of Film and TV			
Or BUSE 135 Business of Music		BUSE 220 Entertainment Marketing	3
Or BUSE 170 Business of Performing Arts			
College-Wide Elective		Columbia Core Requirement (CCCX)	3
3rd Semester Courses (Typically the Fall Semester)	Credit Hours	4th Semester Courses (Typically the Spring Semester)	Credit Hours
Total Semester Credit Hours		Total Semester Credit Hours	15
BUSE 260 Brands and Branding	3	BUSE 332 Managing and Licensing Intellectual Property	3
BUSE 358 Marketing Data Analytics		BUSE 378 Sponsorship	3
BUSE 360 Developing a Marketing Plan		BUSE 381 Box Office Management and Ticketing Strategies	3
BUSE 363 Marketing and Branding Yourself		BUSE 475, BUSE 476 or BUSE 489: Select 1 Practicum	3
College-Wide Elective		College-Wide Elective	3

Notes on the Transfer Student Degree Plan:

This degree plan assumes a student is starting at Columbia with a **minimum of 60 credits in transfer** and the completion of the Essential LAS Core Requirements. **This degree plan is a suggested sequence only.** Students should consult with their Academic Advisors and Academic Departments to develop their unique individual plans.

Columbia Core Requirements include English, Mathematics, Sciences, Literature, Humanities, History, Social Sciences and Columbia Experience classes. Students should review their individual Degree Audits for their specific requirements.

Major Electives include courses required to be completed to finish a major, and students will choose from a list of Major Electives in the course catalog.

College-Wide Electives include all courses and credits not specifically applied towards the Columbia Core or Major Requirements.

All degree-seeking undergraduate students are required to complete 6 credits of **Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion (DEI)** coursework. All degree-seeking undergraduate students are required to complete 9 credits of **advanced (200 or higher level)** coursework in the Columbia Core.

Students are encouraged to consider declaring a Minor to complete their required College-Wide Elective credits.

Full-time status at Columbia College Chicago is a minimum of 12 attempted credits per semester, but the cost of tuition is the same for 12-18 attempted credits. Students are encouraged to attempt 15-16 credits each semester for financial reasons and to complete their degree (120-128 minimum credits) in a timely fashion.