

# ■ Department of Management, Marketing and International Business School of Business

College of Business & Technology (2018-19)

# Marketing B.B.A. Degree

Marketing

Marketing is increasingly the critical force driving today's successful business. Marketing is at the core of overall strategy for manufacturers, service companies, and not-for-profit institutions. Every successful organization recognizes an effective marketing program as a necessity for providing a high level of customer satisfaction and in turn the achievement of organizational goals. All organizations seek highly motivated, professionally educated marketing specialists to design and execute their customer driven marketing programs.

This is your opportunity to become a member of the marketing team in an organization (industry) that truly interests you, such as: professional sports teams, lodging, travel, tourism, art institutes, entertainment, museums, health care, religious and human services organizations, charitable institutions, music merchandising, and the traditional manufacturing and retail trades.

Careers in marketing fields are expected to grow much faster than the average for all occupations according to U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics. Of the many career paths chosen by business graduates, marketing is the single largest employment category in the U.S. labor force.

# **Marketing Management**

Marketing manager (brand manager, business unit manager, VP marketing), advertising copywriter, art director, advertising account manager, sales promotion, manager), retail management (department manager, buyer, store manager), and sales and sales management (sales trainee, sales representative, key account representative, sales manager, regional sales manager, sales executive). Entry level positions generally require a bachelor's degree and good communication and organizational skills. Salary range: \$24,000 for entry level positions to more than \$100,000 for more advanced positions. Additional compensation in many of these positions may include a car, expense account, and bonuses based upon position and performance. Responsibilities vary significantly based on career position, but are generally challenging and exciting.

## The Marketing Club

Affiliated with the American Marketing Association and open to marketing and other business students.

#### For More Information

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http://management.eku.edu

http://management.eku.edu/people

http://management.eku.edu/patterson-business-scholarship

Students interested in a marketing major and who have a minimum ACT composite score of 24 and a high school minimum 3.0 cumulative grade point average may apply for the Opal and Kermit Patterson Scholarship that can be renewed annually. Application may be obtained on the web or by calling 859-622-1377.





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### Suggested Curriculum Guide for Marketing Concentration

#### Freshman (1st Semester) 16 hrs

BTO 100\* Student Success Seminar

E-2 MAT 112 Algebra & Applications (or MAT 211 Calculus)

E-5B PSY 200 or SOC 131 Intro PSY or Intro SOC

**E-1A\*** ENG 101

E-6 Diversity

CIS 212 Intro to CIS or INF 104 Computer Literacy w/ Software Applications

#### Sophomore (1st Semester) 15 hrs

ACC 201 Introduction to Financial Accounting

ECO 231 Principles of Economics II

QMB 200 Business Statistics

E-4A Biological or E4B Physical Lab Science

E-3A Arts

#### Junior (1st Semester) 15 hrs

**CCT 300W** Managerial Reports

CIS 300 Management Information Systems

MGT 300 Principles of Management

MKT 300 Principles of Marketing

MGT 340 Management Science

BTS 300 Professional Skills Seminar (0 credit)\*

#### Senior (1st Semester) 15 hrs

MKT Elective (3 hrs)

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MKT 455 Marketing Research and Analysis

**MGT 370** Operations Management

Free Elective (Non-Business 3 hrs)

#### Freshman (2<sup>nd</sup> Semester) 15 hrs

**E1B\*** ENG 102

E-4A Biological or E4B Physical Lab Science

E-1C CMS 100 or 210

**GBU 101\*** Introduction to Business

ECO 230 Principles of Economics I

#### Sophomore (2<sup>nd</sup> Semester) 15 hrs

ACC 202 Introduction to Managerial Accounting

**GBU 204** Legal and Ethical Environments of Business

E-3B Humanities

E-5A History

E-6 Diversity

### Junior (2<sup>nd</sup> Semester) 15 hrs

MKT 350 Consumer Behavior in Marketing

FIN 300 Business Finance I

MKT 400 International Marketing

MKT Elective (3 hrs)

Free Elective (3 hrs)

#### Senior (2<sup>nd</sup> Semester) 14 hrs

GBU 480\* Business Strategy

MKT 460 Marketing Management

MKT Elective (3 hrs)

Free Elective (Non-Business 5 hrs)

BTS 400 College to Careers Seminar (0 credit)\*

#### UNIVERSITY GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

General Education
College Requirements:
BTS 300 (CR only, no hours) and BTS 400 (CR only, no hours).
Core Courses:
Pre-Business Core
ACC 201, 202, GBU 204, QMB 200
Business Core
CCT 300W, CIS 300, FIN 300, MGT 300, MGT 370, MKT 300, GBU 480
Major Requirements30 hrs
GBU 101, MGT 340, MKT 350, 400, 455, 460, and 12 hours of approved upper-division Marketing electives excluding MKT 300 and MKT 349.
Supporting Course Requirements 9 hrs
MAT 112/211 (counted in GE Element 2)
CIS 212 or INF 104
PSY 200/200W or SOC 131 (counted in GE Element 5)
ECO 230 & 231
Free Electives (Non-Business)
Total Curriculum Requirements

<sup>\*</sup>Course must be taken in semester indicated.