

# 1. Programme Structure

Students seeking a BA Honours degree in Business Studies (System) must complete at least 132 credit hours:

No.	Requirements	Points	Credit Hours
1	University Requirements / Mandatory	60	18
2	University Requirements / Elective	20	6
3	Faculty Requirements / Mandatory	180	48
4	Faculty Requirements / Elective	40	12
5	Specialisation Requirements / Mandatory	180	48
Total		480	132

## 2. Programme Requirements (132 Credits)

. University Requirements / Mandatory		(60 points/18 credit hours)		
Course Code	Course Title	Credit hours	Prerequisites	Source
AR113	Arabic Communication Skills	3		AOU
EL111	English Communication Skills I	3	EL099	AOU
EL112	English Communication Skills II	3	EL111	AOU
GB102	Principles of Entrepreneurship for Non-Specialists	3		AOU
GR118	Life Skills and Coexistence	3		AOU
GT101	Learning and Information Technology	3	EL099	AOU
	Total	18		

2. University Requirements / Electives			(20 points/6 credit hours)	
Course Code	Course Title	<b>Credit hours</b>	Prerequisites	Source
GR111	Arabic Islamic Civilization	3		AOU
GR112	Issues and Problems of Development in the Arab World	3		AOU
GR115	Current International Issues and Problems	3		AOU
GR116	Youth Empowerment	3		AOU
GR117	Women Empowerment	3		AOU
GR121	Environment and Health	3		AOU
GR131	General Branch Requirement	3		AOU
CHI101	Chinese for Beginners (I)	3		AOU
CHI102	Chinese for Beginners (II)	3		AOU
	Total			



. Faculty Requirements / Mandatory		(180 point/48credit hours)		
Course Code	Course Title	Credit Hours	Prerequisite	Source
BUS110	Introduction to Business	8	EL111	AOU
LB170	Professional communication skills for business studies	8	EL112	OU
BUS101	Introduction to Math for Business	4	EL099	AOU
BUS102	Introduction to Statistics	4	EL111	AOU
B207A	Shaping business opportunities	8	BUS110	OU
B207B	Shaping business opportunities	8	B207A	OU
BUS310	Strategic Management	8	B207B	AOU
Total		48		

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4. Faculty Requirements / Elective		(40 point/12 credit hours)		
Course Code	Course Title	Credit Hours	Prerequisite	Source
BUS109	Business law	4	EL111	AOU
BUS202	Data Analysis	4	BUS101 & BUS102	AOU
B122	An Introduction to Retail Management and Marketing	8	BUS110	OU
B124	Fundamentals of Accounting	8	BUS110	OU
ECO101	Principle of Microeconomics	4	BUS110	AOU
ECO102	Principle of Macroeconomics	4	BUS110	AOU
	Total			

## 5. Specialisation Requirements / Mandatory

## (180 point/48 credit hours)

Course Code	Course Title	<b>Credit Hours</b>	Prerequisite	Source	
B123	Management Practice	8	BUS110	OU	
SYS210	Managing Technology and Innovation	8	B123	AOU	
SYS280	Principles and Practice of Systems' Thinking	8	B207B	AOU	
SYS380	Managing Systems Complexity	8	SYS280 & BUS310	AOU	
B327	Sustainable enterprise and innovation	8	BUS310	OU	
B325	Managing across organisational and cultural boundaries	8	BUS310	OU	
Total		48			