The Minor in International Business Studies

(Only open to Economics majors and those majors outside of the Lerner College Business & Economics)

Application for the Minor in Advertising may be submitted online through UDSIS and are reviewed at the end of the second week of the fall and spring semesters.

The minor in International Business Studies is designed for students interested in language and business, but are not majoring in a business area. The minor is restricted to students pursuing a major in Economics or any major outside the Lerner College of Business and Economics. Other Lerner College majors must pursue the Minor in International Business or the Minor in International Business with Language options.

Admission will be based upon the availability of seats and the GPA of the student: a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.7 will be required for admission consideration. Students must have completed 28 credits at the University of Delaware prior to application. Applications are reviewed after the first two weeks of the spring and fall semesters. Students electing the International Business Studies minor are encouraged to incorporate a short-term study abroad program into their course of study, especially a Foreign Languages and Literatures trip to a country that uses the student’s target language; however, only courses taught in the language of choice will count towards the minor.

Students must earn a C- or better in all courses taken for the minor.
Required Core Business Courses (Six Credits Required):

BUAD 100  Introduction to Business  Grade  Semester  3

One of the following:  Course:  Grade  Semester  3

ECON 103  Introduction to Macroeconomics
(Students taking Econ 103 are required to take ECON 101 as a prerequisite)

FINC 200  Fundamentals of Finance

International Business Courses (Nine Credits Required):

BUAD 384  Global Business Environment  Grade  Semester  3
BUAD 386  International Business Management  Grade  Semester  3

One of the following:  Course:  Grade  Semester  3

BUAD 425  Current Issues in Global Business
BUAD 475  International Marketing
ECON 340  International Economics
FINC 415  International Finance
(Students taking FINC 415 are required to take ECON 308 as a prerequisite)

Foreign Language Courses (Six Credits Required):

Foreign Language and Literatures (Two courses at the 200-level or above, taught in the language of choice – Arabic, Chinese, French, German, Italian, Japanese, Russian, or Spanish)

Course:  Grade  Semester

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Total Credits:  21