

**FARM MANAGEMENT OPTION (#10KL0012BS)<sup>1</sup>**  
**Agribusiness, Farm, and Financial Management Major**  
**Department of Agricultural and Consumer Economics**

**GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIRED<sup>2</sup>**

**Composition I and Speech<sup>3</sup>**  
•RHET 105 Principles of Composition  
•SPCM 101 Public Speaking

**Advanced Composition<sup>4</sup>**  
•*One course selected from:*  
BTW 250 Principles Bus Comm  
BTW 261 Principles of Technical Comm  
BTW 263 Writing in the Disciplines  
RHET 233 Principles of Composition  
RHET 243 Inter Expository Writing  
SPCM 220 Communicating Public Policy

**Cultural Studies<sup>2</sup>**  
•One Western culture *and*  
•One non-Western Culture/U.S. minority culture

**Foreign Language<sup>5</sup>**

**Quantitative Reasoning I<sup>6</sup>**  
•Math 124 Finite Mathematics  
•Math 220 Calculus I *or*  
Math 234 Calculus for Business I

**Quantitative Reasoning II<sup>7</sup>**  
•ACE 261 Applied Statistical Methods<sup>8</sup> *or*  
•ECON 202 Econ Statistics I *and*  
•ECON 203 Econ Statistics II

**Natural Sciences and Technology<sup>2</sup>**  
•Six hours selected from approved list

**Humanities and the Arts<sup>2</sup>**  
•Nine hours selected from approved list

**Social and Behavioral Sciences<sup>2</sup>**  
•Twelve hours selected from approved list

**ACES REQUIRED**

- Minimum of 35 hours in the College of ACES.
- Minimum of 15 hours of major and option courses must be completed on the UIUC campus.
- ACES 100 Contemporary Issues in ACES.
- Total number of hours for degree is 126.

**ACE REQUIRED**

- Minimum of 20 hours in ACE courses, excluding ACE 161 and ACE 261.
- Minimum of two 400-level courses in ACE must be completed.
- ACE 100 Agr Cons and Resource Econ<sup>9</sup>
- ACE 161 Microcomputer Applications<sup>8</sup> *or*  
CS 105 Intro-Computing - Nontech Majors
- ACCY 201 Accounting & Accountancy I
- ECON 103 Macroeconomics Principles
- One international/policy course selected from:*<sup>10</sup>  
ACE 251 World Food Economy  
ACE 254 Econ Systems in Africa  
ACE 255 Econ of Rural Poverty & Dev  
ACE 387 Textiles in Global Economy  
ACE 435 Global Agribusiness Mgmt  
ACE 451 Agriculture in Intl Development  
ACE 452 Latin American Economies  
ACE 453 Econ Dev of S & SE Asia  
ACE 454 Econ Dev of Tropical Africa  
ACE 455 Intl Trade in Food & Agr  
ACE 456 Agr & Food Policies  
ACE 471 Consumer Economic Policy  
ACE 486 Business and Public Policy

**FARM MANAGEMENT OPTION REQUIRED**

- ACE 222 Agricultural Markets
- ACE 232 Mgmt of Farm Enterprises
- ACE 340 Agricultural Finance
- ACE 332 Farm Management *or*  
ACE 448 Rural Real Estate Appraisal
- ECON 302 Inter Microeconomic Theory *or*  
ECON 303 Inter Macroeconomic Theory

**OPTION RECOMMENDATIONS<sup>11</sup>**

**General**

- ACE 303 Rural Taxation
- ACE 403 Agricultural Law
- ACE 328 Commodity Futures and Options
- ACE 456 Agr and Food Policies
- BADM 310 Mgmt & Organization Behav

**EMPHASES**

**Management of Livestock Enterprises**

- ANSC 100 Intro to Animal Science
- ANSC 213 Beef and Swine Mgmt
- ANSC 321 Animal Nutrition
- ANSC 401 Beef Production
- ANSC 402 Sheep Production
- ANSC 403 Pork Production
- ANSC 404 Poultry Science

**Management of Grain Enterprises**

- NRES 201 Introductory Soils
- NRES 403 Watersheds and Water Quality
- CPSC 112 Introduction to Crop Sciences
- CPSC 426 Weed Mgmt in Agron Crops
- ABE 221 Agr & Bio Engineering I
- TSM 352 Land and Water Mgmt Systems
- TSM 381 Grain Drying and Storage Systems

<sup>1</sup> Example 8-semester plans are available for each ACE concentration at [www.ace.uiuc.edu](http://www.ace.uiuc.edu)

<sup>2</sup> Courses eligible for General Education credit are listed at [www.provost.uiuc.edu/gened](http://www.provost.uiuc.edu/gened). Courses should be selected in consultation with your academic advisor.

<sup>3</sup> Requirement must be satisfied prior to registering for the 3<sup>rd</sup> semester. The listed courses are suggested. The writing requirement may be also filled through satisfactory completion of: RHET 108 or (103 & 104) or (100, 101, and 102). The speaking and writing requirements may be fulfilled together through satisfactory completion of SPCM 111 and 112 or ESL 114 and 115.

<sup>4</sup> Students are strongly encouraged to complete the Advanced Composition requirement no later than their 6<sup>th</sup> semester.

<sup>5</sup> Coursework at or above the third level is required for graduation.

<sup>6</sup> Requirement must be satisfied before registering for the 5<sup>th</sup> semester. MATH 125 or 230 is accepted in lieu of MATH 124.

<sup>7</sup> ECON 202 and 203 must be selected for curricula requiring FIN 221.

<sup>8</sup> Credit in ACE 161 and 261 do not count toward the required 20 hours in ACE.

<sup>9</sup> Credit may not be received for both ACE 100 and ECON 102.

<sup>10</sup> Requirement may also be fulfilled through at least 12 hours of credit earned in ACES 299 or other approved study abroad courses.

<sup>11</sup> Approved internships or study abroad credit may count as open electives.