THIS MORNING’S GOALS

• Welcome you into the Mays Business School family at Texas A&M University
• Equip you for your first semester at Mays Business School, with your BBA degree goal in mind
• Develop an action plan for this afternoon, when you complete your fall course schedule registration
DEAN’S WELCOME
Dr. Annie McGowan, Associate Dean
FRESHMAN BUSINESS INITIATIVE

A Learning Community designed to help you transition...

Socially

Academically

.... to Texas A&M University and Mays Business School
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THE FBI CURRICULUM

• Components of an Enterprise
• Competencies and Mindsets
• Reflection
FRESHMAN BUSINESS INITIATIVE

To join your classmates in FBI, register for BUSN 101 today.

BUSN 101 is a 3-hour General Elective credit.
BUSINESS STUDENT COUNCIL

We aim to serve Mays Business School, positively impact the Bryan College Station community, and develop leaders within the council

- Career Fair
- Maysfest
- Mays Exchange
- Career Closet
- Professional Trip
DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE

- Bachelor of Business Administration (BBA) in Finance.

- High Impact Programs in finance:
  - Investment banking and asset management
  - Quantitative finance
  - Commercial banking
  - Energy finance and petroleum acquisitions
  - Trading, investment and risk management
  - Corporate finance

- Want to know more?
  - Informational meeting in Room 114 11:35 – noon.
MAYS UNDERGRADUATE ADVISING

Dr. Linda Windle, Associate Director
THIS MORNING’S SCHEDULE

8:30 – 9:00  Welcome to Mays

9:00 – 9:15  Break

9:15 – 11:00  Students: Meet with advisors in small groups
Family and Guests: Overview of Mays Business School

11:00 – Resource Fair in Wehner Atrium (High Impact Opportunities)

Noon – 1:45  Lunch Break
MAY 2023: ARE. YOU. READY?
THE ROAD TO SUCCESS

SUCCESS

WHAT PEOPLE THINK IT LOOKS LIKE
Students: 9:15 – 11:00 a.m.

Refer to Card for Assigned Wehner Classroom

- Meet in Small Group with Academic Advisor
- Expectations of Students
- Review of Academic Policies
- Review of Class Search, Registration Process
- Planning for Fall Schedule
Family and Guests: 9:15 – 11:00 a.m.

Meeting in 113 Wehner, please leave back 4 rows empty

- Center for International Business Studies
- Mays Business School Communication Lab
- Business Career Services
- Mays Business School Undergraduate Program
- Questions & Answers
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WCCC

2:30 – 3:30  **Mays Exchange**: T-Shirt Sale
Hallway Before Entrance to 113 Wehner
FAMILY & GUESTS...YOU’RE INVITED!

Who: Family Members and Guests
What: Conversation with General John Van Alstyne
When: 2:00 – 2:45 p.m. (while your student registers)
Where: 114 Wehner
STUDENTS...THIS AFTERNOON’S GOALS

• To complete your fall course registration
• Get to know your small group advisor
• Get questions answered: Advisors available until 5:00 p.m.

Don’t leave with unanswered questions!
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WHAT’S NEXT?

STUDENTS:
• Grab your laptop or tablet if you have it
• Pull out the small card you received at check-in
• Head to your advisor’s small group room

FAMILY and GUESTS:
• Please stay in your seat while the students exit
Welcome Mays Family and Guests

• International Business Studies
• Communication Lab
• Career Center
• BREAK
• Undergraduate Program & Academic Advising
ABOUT CIBS

• Send Mays business students abroad through various international programs

• Help students develop a global mindset while earning business credit toward their degree

• 699 Mays students abroad in 2017-18

• 1 of 15 Centers for International Business Education and Research (CIBERs) in the nation, designed to promote international understanding and competitiveness
ADVANCING THE WORLD’S PROSPERITY

awareness of global issues is just as important as knowledge of accounting, finance, management, marketing, management information systems or supply chain issues...
“At Texas A&M’s Mays Business School, we believe that awareness of global issues is just as important as knowledge of accounting, finance, management, marketing, management information systems or supply chain issues... business is truly a global enterprise. For anyone aspiring to leadership of a business – especially one that has a global reach – cross-cultural skills and global competence are critical.” – Dean Eli Jones
MAYS INTERNATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES

- Semester Exchange
- Faculty-led
  - Winter
  - Summer
- Field Trips
- Internships
- Volunteer
SEMMESTER EXCHANGE PROGRAMS

Earn 12 hours of business credit at an international partner institution while paying regular A&M tuition

45 universities

27 countries
FACULTY-LED PROGRAMS & FIELD TRIPS

Travel with ~30 other TAMU students with one faculty leading the group – Earn 3-6 credit hours
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• Asian Business Environment: China
• Asian Business Environment: India
• European Integration and Business: Finland
• European Integration and Business: Spain
• Financial Environment: Italy and Greece
• Global Entrepreneurship: South Africa & Swaziland
• Global Entrepreneurship: Chile
• Global Entrepreneurship: Belgium

• Global Citizen and Leadership: Spain El Camino
• Global Immersion in Accounting: Australia
• Global Leadership: UK and France
• Latin American Markets: Brazil
• Latin American Markets: Ecuador & Peru
• International Finance: France
• International Technology Management: Ireland
• International Marketing: 7 different European countries
CERTIFICATES

Certificate in International Business
• 12 hours international business courses
• 6 hours international electives or foreign language
• 30 days of international experience

Certificate in European Union Business
• 9 hours EU courses (can include the 6 hours of international electives used for IB)
• Language fluency

Certificate in Latin American Business
• 9 hours LA courses (can include the 6 hours of international electives used for IB)
• Language fluency
PLAN EARLY!
CONTACT US

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MAYS COMMUNICATION LAB
Naomi Rockhold, Program Coordinator
STRENGTHEN YOUR PROFESSIONAL VOICE
WHO ARE WE?

A team of **internationally certified peer consultants**

Offering **professional communication development**

Here to serve **Mays Business School majors and minors**
WHAT DO WE DO?

SPEAKING  WRITING  REFLECTION
WHAT CAN WE HELP WITH?

• Essays & Reports
• Presentations
• Résumés
• Applications
• Career Fair Prep
• Case Competitions
• Interview Practice
• Online Portfolios
• Personal Brand
THE COMM LAB MISSION:

To equip students to be INCREASINGLY EFFECTIVE COMMUNICATORS
WHERE ARE WE?

239 Wehner

HOW DO I GET A CONSULTATION?

1. Book online:
   mays.tamu.edu/commlab

2. Walk in!
Who we are:
Texas A&M University’s student career prep team

What we do:
• Prepare students for their job search
• Manage employer on-campus recruiting
• Coordinate on-campus interviews
• Connect students with high-impact opportunities (i.e. co-op education, internships, and study abroad)
OUR RESOURCES

- Resume & cover letter reviews
- HireAggies Portal
- AggiExternships
- Interview Prep
- Graduate & professional school advising
- Career exploration assessments/skill & interest inventories
- Offer negotiation guidance
- Workshops, webinars, class presentations
OUR IMPACT

In 2017-2018 we had:

• 19,000 student career advisement contacts
• 760 workshops & programs
• 4,000 companies recruit at Texas A&M
• 13,000 full-time & co-op postings in HireAggies
FRESHMAN FIVE

- Meet your Career Advisor
- Develop your college resume
- Build your HireAggies profile
- Establish a competitive GPA
- Join the professional society within your major
HOW CAN YOU HELP?

• Encourage them to visit the Career Center! And visit us early!
• Encourage them to explore career options
• Support them
• Don’t worry. They’ve got this.
QUICK BREAK
UNDERGRADUATE PROGRAM

Peter Drysdale, Director
ACADEMIC ADVISING

Mays Business School
Undergraduate Advising

238 Wehner
979.862.3850
mays.tamu.edu
UNDERGRADUATE ADVISING STAFF

• Need to update headshots
• Don’t forget BHNР advisors
UNDERGRADUATE ADVISING DIRECTORS

Peter Drysdale
Director

Dr. Linda Windle
Associate Director

Patrick Williams
Assistant Director

Kris Morley
Business Honors Director
UNDERGRADUATE ADVISING

FRESHMAN GOAL FOR THIS MORNING

• To **equip** each freshman for his or her first semester at Mays Business School with the student’s *four-year goal in mind*

• To develop an individual action plan for this afternoon, when the student **registers** for his or her fall course schedule
FALL AVERAGES FOR MAYS CLASS OF 2022

Completed Hours: 12.34
GPA: 3.46
Incoming Credit Hours: 28

942 Students Enrolled
Only 84 courses were dropped
RESOURCES AT A&M TO HELP YOU SUCCEED

• Academic Advisors
• Academic Policies & Information
• Academic Success Center
• Student Counseling Services
• Scholarships & Financial Aid
• Disability Services
• Don’t forget to call home!
CHOOSING YOUR BUSINESS MAJOR

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Use Undergraduate Business Student Handbook to select core curriculum electives
LOWER LEVEL CBK COURSES

Lower Level Core Business Knowledge (CBK) Courses

ACCT 229 Introductory Accounting – Financial
ACCT 230 Introductory Accounting – Managerial
ECON 202 Principles of Economics – Microeconomics
ECON 203 Principles of Economics – Macroeconomics
ISTM 210 Fundamentals of Information Systems
MGMT 211 Legal & Social Environment of Business
UPPER LEVEL CBK COURSES

Upper Level Core Business Knowledge (CBK) Courses

FINC 341  Business Finance
MGMT 363  Managing People in Organizations
MGMT 466  Strategic Management
MKTG 321  Marketing
SCMT 303  Statistical Methods
SCMT 364  Operations Management
BUSINESS UNDERGRADUATE CURRICULUM

120 Hour Degree
2.0 GPA

Core Curriculum
42 Hours

Core Business Knowledge
36 Hours
2.0 GPA

Lower Level CBKs
18 Hours

Upper Level CBKs
18 Hours

Coursework
Hours Vary by Major

Supporting Coursework
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ADDITIONAL CORE BUSINESS KNOWLEDGE COURSES

Lower-Level Core Business Knowledge

- **ACCT 230** Introductory Accounting – Managerial
- **ISTM 210** Fundamentals of Information Systems
- **MGMT 211** Legal and Social Environment of Business

Declaration of Major

- Completion of “Big 5” courses
- Upper Level Business Application
- If remaining lower level CBKs are incomplete, they must be taken in residence at Texas A&M with upper level coursework
**Every student's schedule will be different**

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GOOD ACADEMIC & DEGREE PROGRESS STANDING

2.0

75%
GRADUATION GPA REQUIREMENTS

Complete the 120-hour BBA curriculum with:

- Overall GPA > 2.0
- Core Business Knowledge (CBK) GPA > 2.0
- Major GPA > 2.0
FRESHMAN REQUIRED ADVISING: FALL 2019

• To preregister for spring 2020 courses, you must meet with an advisor.

• Watch for an email message from Cami Rhome with instructions on how to schedule the appointment via Navigate on the MyRecord tab of Howdy.

• Starting September 17, schedule your individual one-on-one academic advising appointment.

• Deadline: November 16

• You will have a hold preventing registration until after your appointment.

**Check your official TAMU email inbox throughout the semester for reminder emails about scheduling your appointment.**
MAYS TRANSFORMATIONAL LEADER
SEVEN CORE COMPETENCIES OF A MAYS TRANSFORMATIONAL LEADER

• The ability to get one’s ideas across with effective communication
• Identifying and fixing performance gaps with problem solving
• Creating new opportunities for organizational or personal growth
• Leading others to accomplish a shared goal
• Managing a project or yourself
• Working with others in a work group or team
• Maintaining your character and integrity by acting...
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Finance Department
Information & Operations Management Department
Management Department
Marketing Department
Communication Lab

Center for International Business Studies
McFerrin Center for Entrepreneurship
Finance High Impact Programs
Center for Retailing Studies
Professional Program of Accounting
Sales Leadership Institute
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