



Welcome!



Day 2 Logistics & Details



Wayne Roberts '85 Building (WRB)



Morning, 8 a.m. – 12 p.m., *Refer to paper schedule for exact times and room numbers*

- Welcome Presentation
- Academic Advising (*students only*)
- Family & Guest Presentation (*families & guests only*)

Lunch, on own 12 – 1:15 p.m.

Afternoon, 1:30 – 2:30 p.m.

- Registration (*students only*)
- Family & Guest Q&A (*families & guests only*)

NSC Dining



Lunch options close to Wayne Roberts '85 Building (WRB):

- West Campus Dining Facility (WCDF)
- Memorial Student Center (MSC)

NSC Dining Options



Aggie Map



This Morning's Goals



Welcome everyone into the Mays Business School family at Texas A&M University.



Equip each freshman for success in their first semester at Mays Business School, with their business degree goal in mind.



Develop an individualized action plan for this afternoon, when each freshman will complete their Spring 2025 course schedule registration.

Welcome Mays Family & Guests

Mays Dean's Office

Dr. Shannon Deer

**Reliant Student
Experience Office**

Paige Hellman Millar

Career Services

Taylor Louder

**Center for International
Business Studies**

Kerri Vance

**Mays Undergraduate
Programs**

Patrick Williams

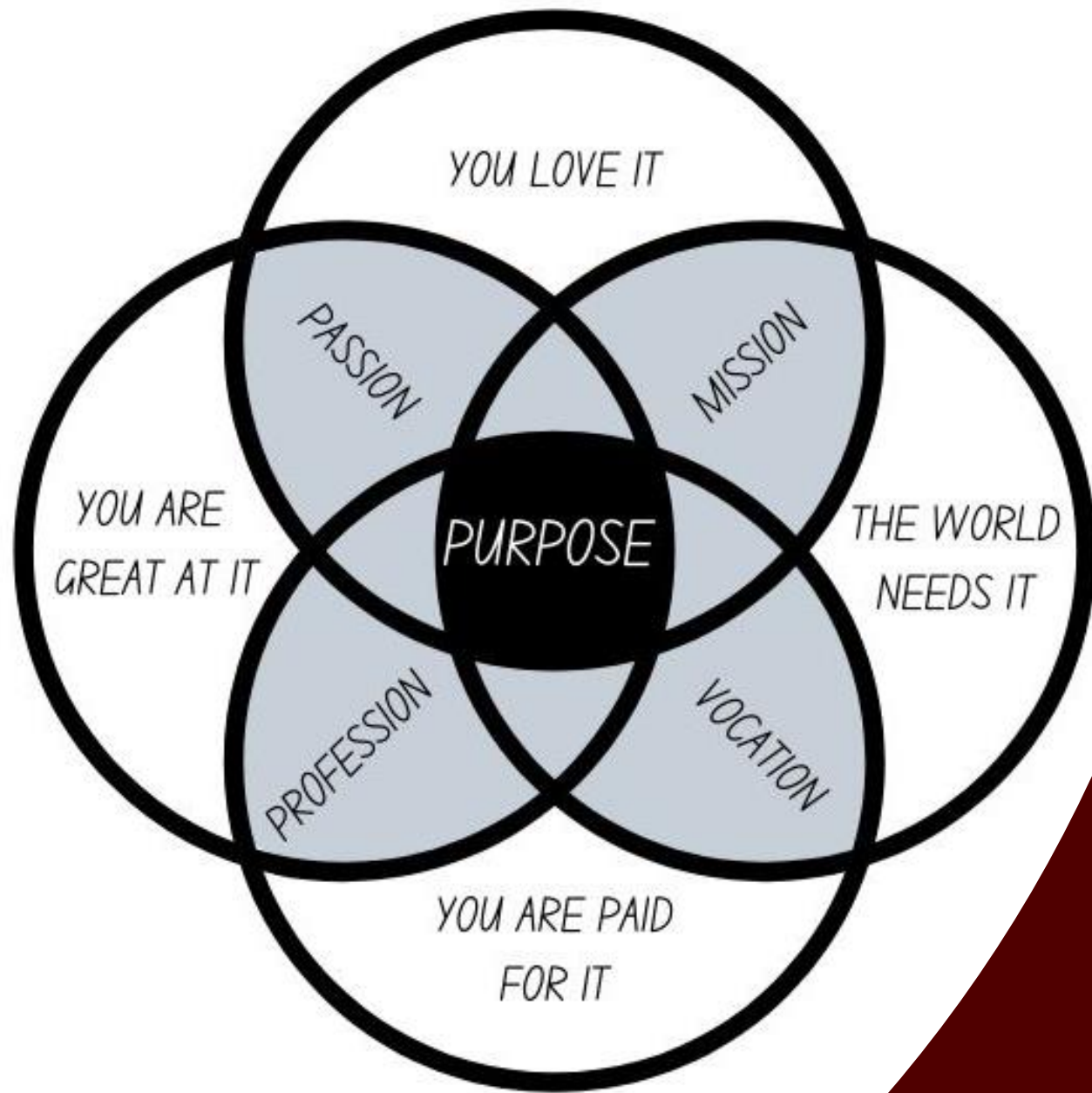


Dean's Welcome

Dr. Shannon Deer

Associate Dean for Undergraduate Programs





Purpose



Reliant Student Experience Office

Paige Hellman Millar

Associate Program Director



A photograph of a modern building at dusk. The building features large glass windows and a wooden slat facade. Warm interior lights are visible through the glass, and linear LED lights are integrated into the building's design. A dark red semi-transparent box is overlaid on the right side of the image, containing the text for the mission statement. In the bottom left corner, a small plaque is visible with the text 'WAYNE ROBERTS '85'.

MISSION

The **Reliant Student Experience Office** seeks to support students during all phases of their undergraduate journey through high-impact experiences, leadership development, and career readiness.

Our Four Pillars

Prospective Student Experiences

Student Success

Student Leadership Development

Career & Professional Development

Our Programs

- Aggies in Consulting
- Aggies in Tech
- Career Exploration Night
- Freshman Business Initiative
- Regents' Ambassador Program
- Academic Success Program
- Business Fellows



**BBA in Business
Honors**

**BS in Business
Administration**

Digital Badging Platform

A modern & visual way for students to represent their skills & achievements.

Benefits:

- Engage
- Track
- Share



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WELCOME TO
AGGIELAND

Thanks & Gig 'em!



Mays Business School Undergraduate Career Center

Taylor Louder

Career Services Coordinator



Career Center Mission

Who We Are:

#12 overall for career placement among public institutions
(*Princeton Review*, 2024)



What We Do:

- ✓ Prepare students for the job search
- ✓ Manage employer on-campus recruitment
- ✓ Coordinate on-campus interviews (30+ interview rooms available)
- ✓ Connect students with high-impact opportunities (*i.e.*, co-ops, internships, & study abroad)

How We Can Help

- HireAggies portal
- Career exploration assessments/skill & interest inventories
- Resume & cover letter reviews
- Interview prep
- Career Fair prep
- Offer negotiation guidance
- Workshops, webinars, class presentations
- Graduate & professional school advising





Career Center Partners (30+)



Start Early!



How?

Internships

- Typically during summer
- Course credit possible; not always paid

Cooperative Education (Co-op)

- Multiple work terms
- Receive course credit; always paid

Campus Involvement

Part-Time Jobs

Education Abroad

Shadowing

Research Experiences

Volunteering

Why?

- Employers expect it!
- Increases marketability at graduation
- Confirm major & career options
- Understand classroom theory vs. real world applications
- Potentially earn \$\$\$
- Networking opportunities
- Develop confidence & professional skills

Where? Career Fairs!

- Typically occur within the first month of the semester
- 12+ career fairs for various disciplines
- Check out [tx.ag/tamucareerfairs](https://www.tx.ag/tamucareerfairs) for dates & locations
- Why you should go as a freshman:
 - Allows you to see the physical venue (or virtual space)
 - Observe your peers talking to employers
 - Explore career options by talking to employers

Things To Do During Your First Year

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- ✓ Engage with the Career Center by attending a workshop, scheduling an appointment with a Career Advisor, or attending a career fair!
- ✓ Get involved on campus!
- ✓ Create your college resume!
- ✓ Log into your HireAggies account to access lots of resources!
- ✓ Don't wait, **start now!** Stay connected with us throughout your time at Texas A&M!

*How to create a
HireAggies account*



Mays Undergraduate Career Team



Amarette Renieri

Director



Abigail Elliott

*Career Coordinator
1st & 2nd Year Students*



Taylor Louder

*Career Coordinator
3rd & 4th Year Students*



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Center for International Business Studies

Kerri Vance

Assistant Director



CIBS Overview

- Offer variety of global programs for ***all Mays students***
- ***700+ Mays students abroad*** per year
- Equip students with ***global mindset***
- Earn credit toward degree and/or pursue an ***IB certificate***
- Promote ***IB understanding*** and ***competitiveness*** for global workplace
- 1 of 16 ***Centers for International Business and Education (CIBEs)***
- ***Student ambassadors*** offer weekly walk-in advising





Go Global with Mays

- Faculty Programs
- Exchange Programs
- Internships
- Service-Learning
- Research &
Case Competitions

2025-2026 CIBS Programs

35

countries

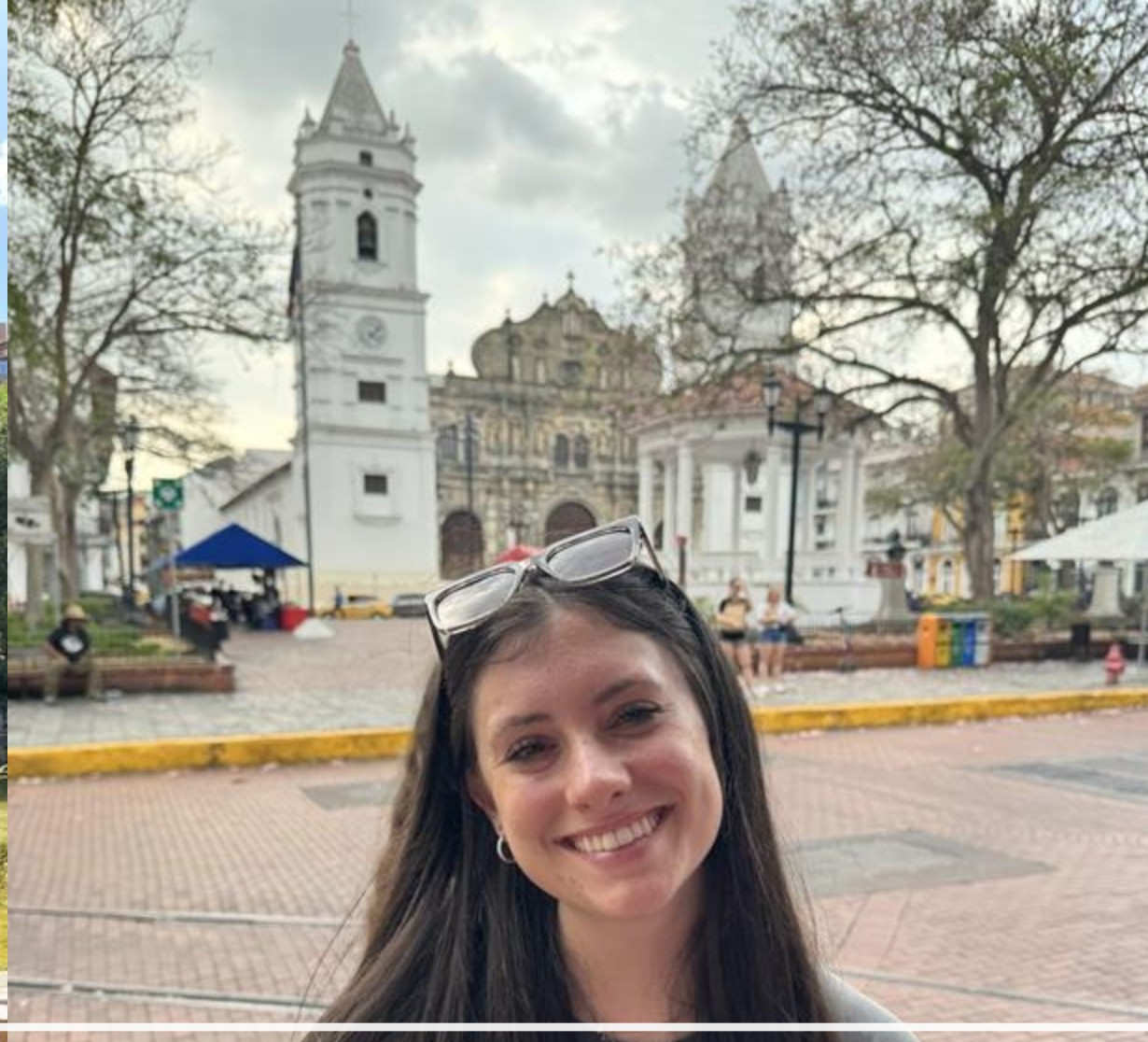
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Why Go Global with Mays?

- Scholarships available! | \$ exchange < \$ TAMU
- Time to graduation is faster
- Majority of programs are in English
- 20+ programs with Mays faculty | 20+ exchange partners
- Students regret NOT going abroad
- Programs offered year-round from 1 week to 1 semester



PLAN EARLY | ENGAGE YOUR ACADEMIC ADVISOR



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Mays Undergraduate Programs

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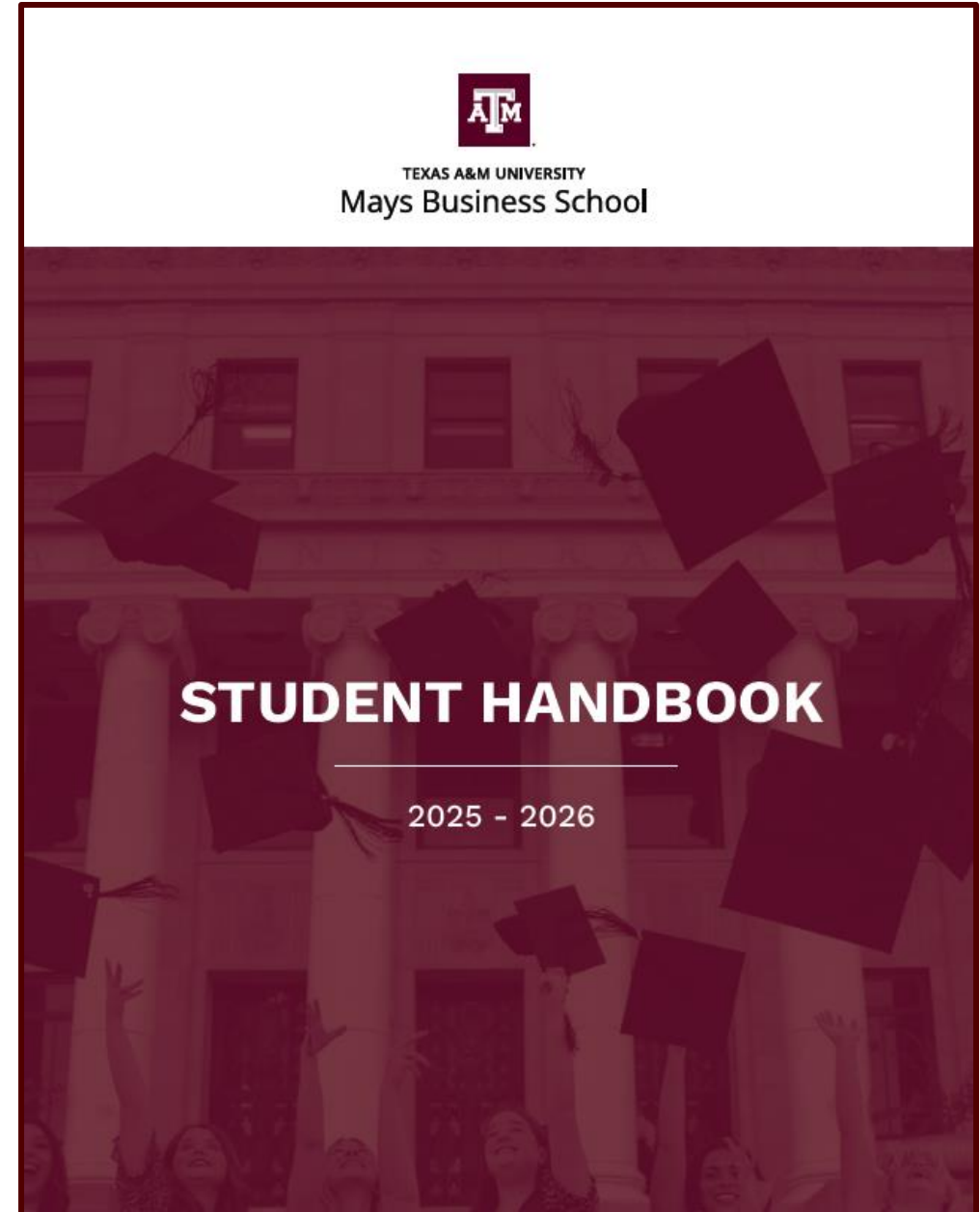




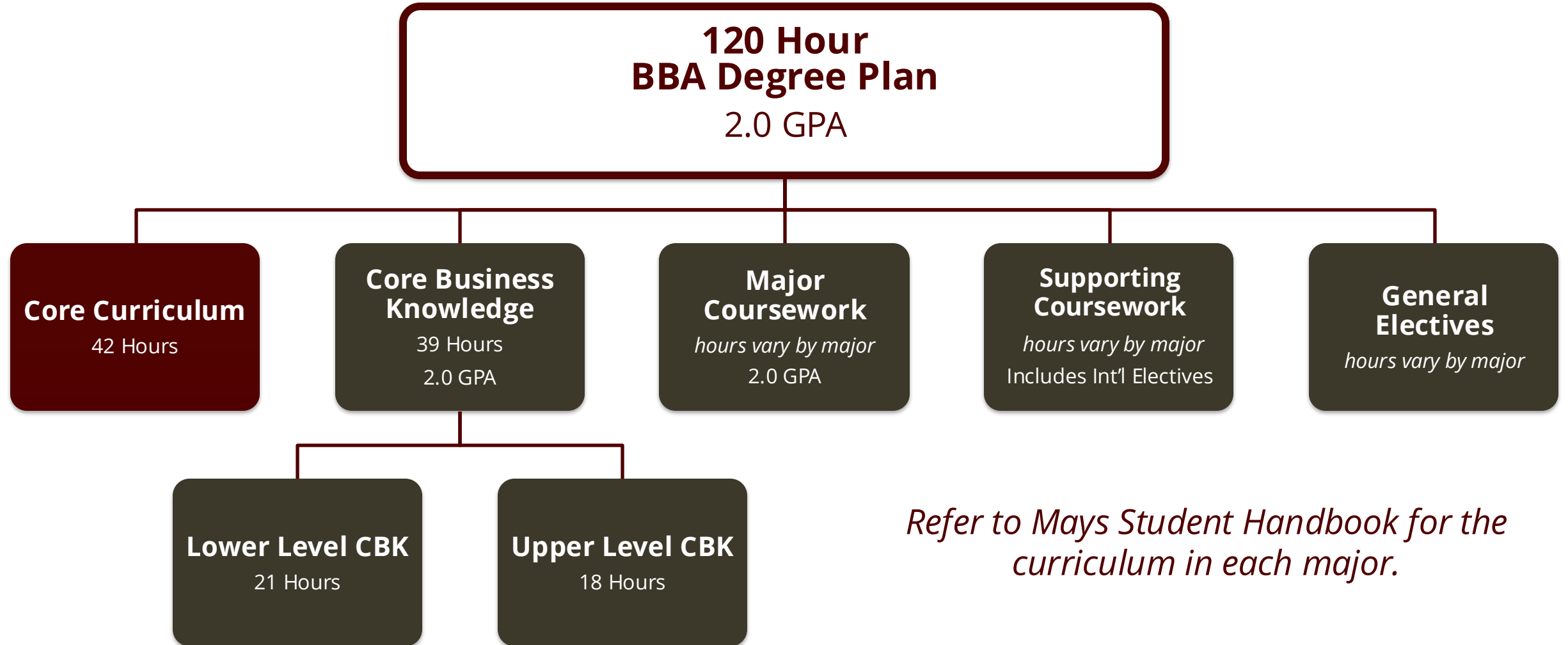
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Resources to Help Students Succeed

- ✓ Academic Advisors
- ✓ Academic Success Center
- ✓ Counseling & Psychological Services
- ✓ Disability Resources
- ✓ Scholarships & Financial Aid
- ✓ University Writing Center

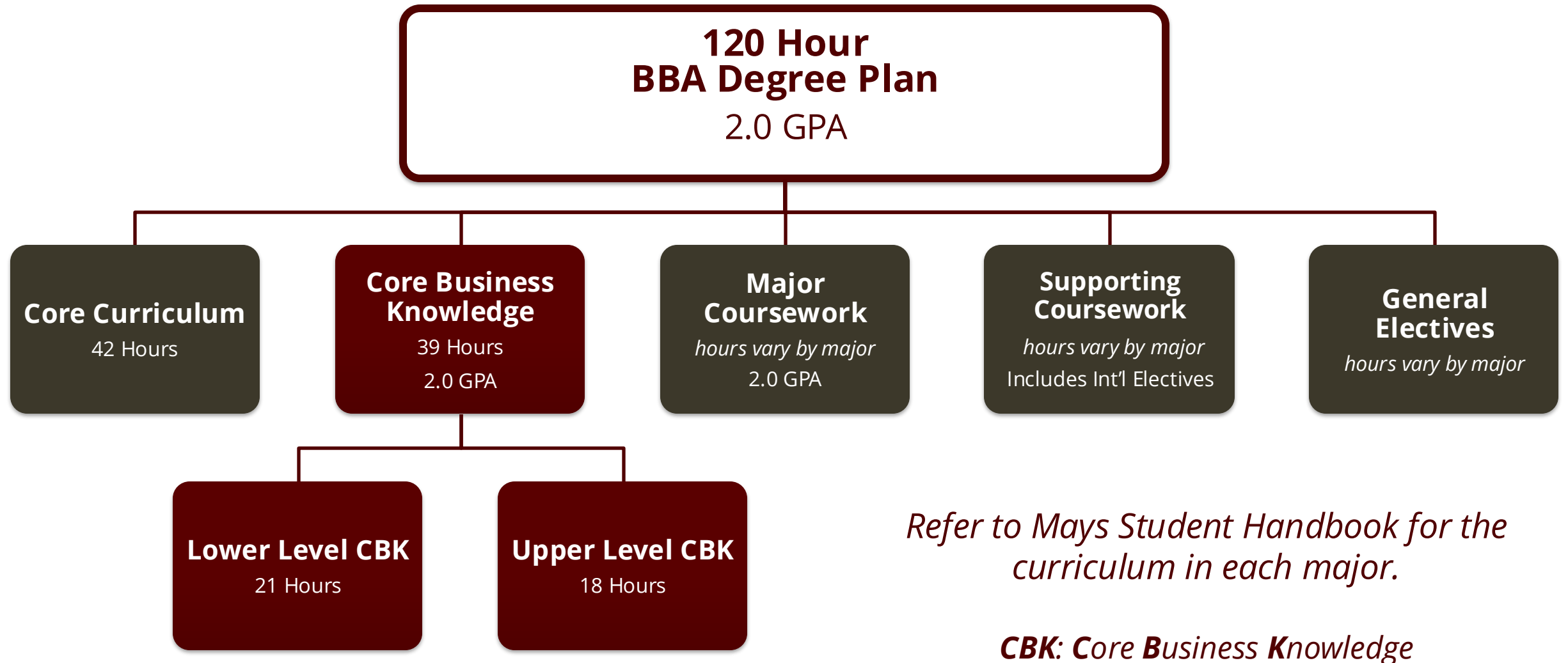


Undergraduate Business Curriculum



Refer to Mays Student Handbook for the curriculum in each major.

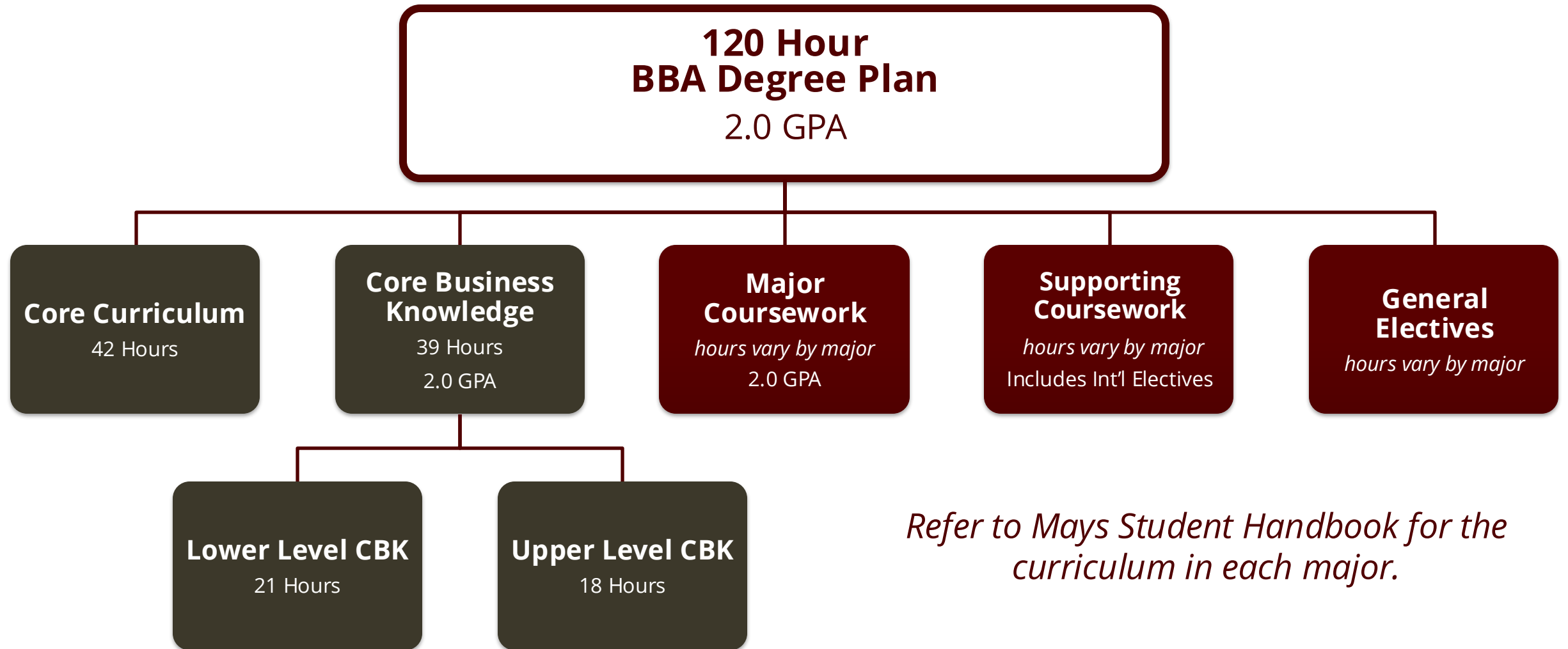
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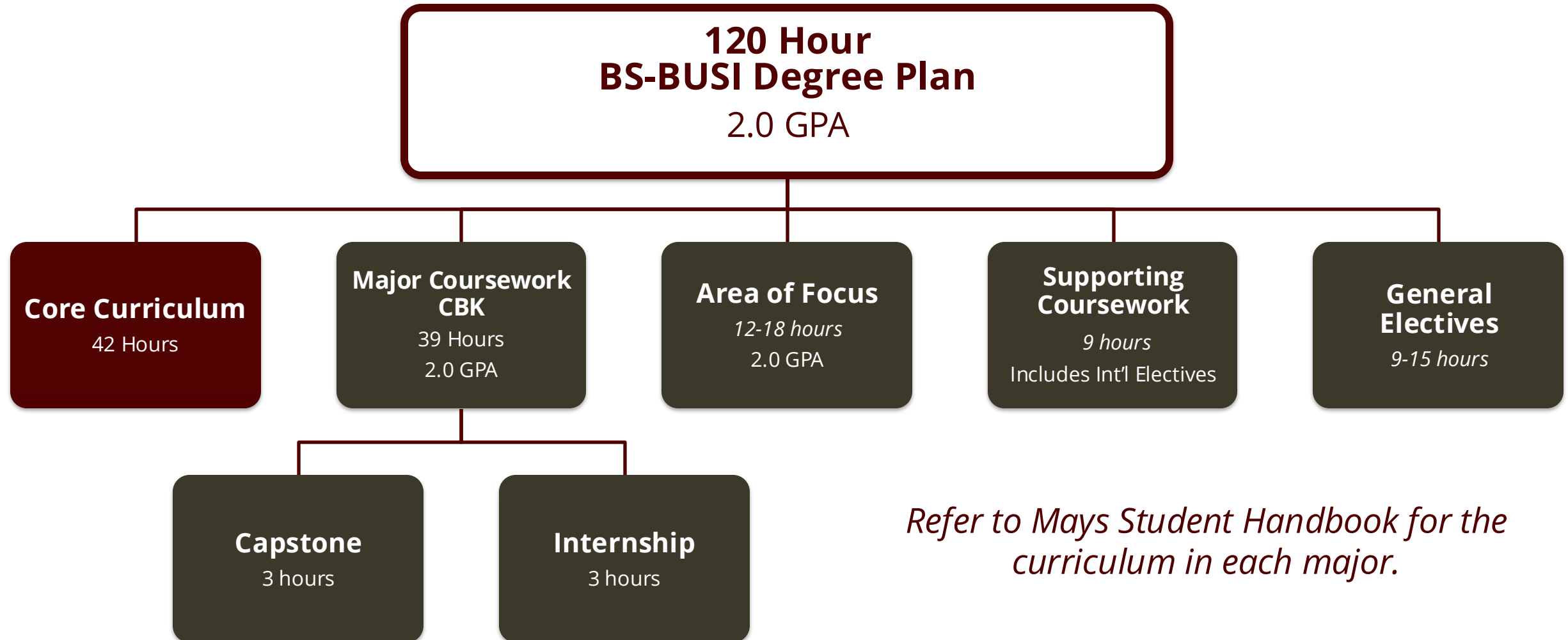
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CBK: Core Business Knowledge

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Upper-Level Requirements

“The Big 5”

Mathematics

MATH 140:
Mathematics
for Business
and Social
Sciences

MATH 142:
Business
Calculus

Core Business Knowledge

ECON 202:
Principles of
Economics
(Micro-
economics)

ECON 203:
Principles of
Economics
(Macro-
economics)

ACCT 229:
Introductory
Accounting
(Financial)

Declaration of Major

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**Completion
of “Big 5”
Courses**



**Submit
Upper-Level
Business
Application**

Upper-Level Business Majors

Accounting

Finance

Management

Marketing

Management Information Systems

Supply Chain Management

Business Honors *(by application only)*

Bachelor of Science in Business Administration (BSB)

Common Scheduling Combinations

MATH 140	3
ECON 202 (CBK)	3
Life & Physical Science	3
BUSN 101 (CBK)	3
12 hours	

MATH 140	3
ECON 202 (CBK)	3
Lang., Phil., & Culture	3
BUSN 101 (CBK)	3
12 hours	

MATH 140	3
ECON 202 (CBK)	3
Creative Arts	3
BUSN 101 (CBK)	3
12 hours	

*Every student's schedule will be different. A 12-15 hour schedule is typical | **CBK: Core Business Knowledge***

Mays Class of 2028

Fall 2024 Averages

1,343 Freshmen Enrolled

- GPA: 3.44
- Completed Credit Hours: 12.4
- Incoming AP/IB/Dual Credit Hours: 27
- *Only 121 Courses (2%) were dropped*



Mays Business School Requirements

**Academic Standing
&
Degree Progress**

2.0

Minimum
cumulative GPA

75%

Attempted courses
completed

Each student has the responsibility to be fully acquainted with and to comply with the Texas A&M University Student Rules

[tx.ag/StudentRules](https://www.tx.ag/StudentRules)

Academic Advising

Check-in location:

238 Wehner

Phone:

(979) 862 - 3850

DROP-IN

Monday
8:30 – 11:30 a.m.

Thursday
1:30 – 4:30 p.m.

BY APPOINTMENT

Monday – Friday
8:30 a.m.
–
4:30 p.m.

First Week Advising: Express drop-in advising is available 8:30 – 11:30 a.m. & 1:30 – 4:30 p.m. daily during the first week of classes

Undergraduate Academic Services Directors



Patrick Williams
Director



Wendy Castro
Associate Director



Claire Raabe
Business Honors Director

Undergraduate Academic Advising Team

ADVISING MANAGERS



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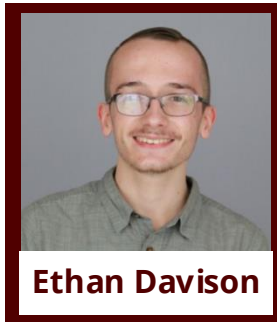


Kristen Lindholm

ACADEMIC ADVISORS



Landrie Jordan



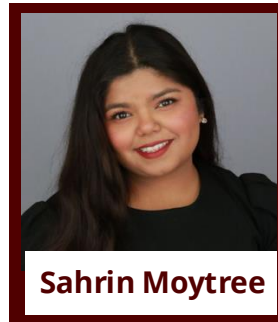
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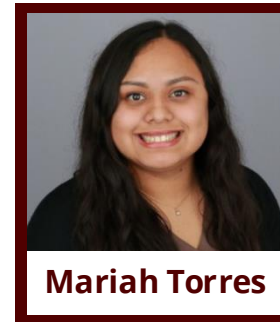
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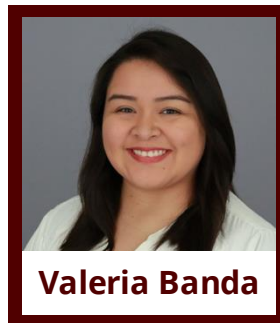
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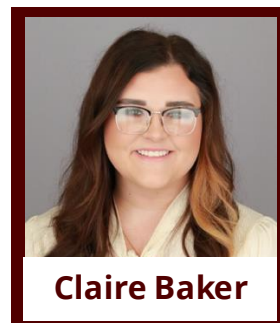
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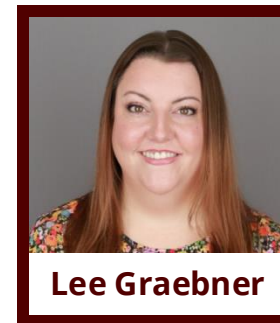
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Who to Contact When



Where to get help with your concerns?



PROCESS

Student Concern



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INCORRECT!

PROCESS

Concern about
your classes



Instructor



Dept. Head

Concern about
choosing
courses



Dept. Advisor



Advising
Manager

Concern about
Q-drops,
waitlists, etc.



Dept. Advisor



Advising
Manager



FERPA

Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA)

- **FERPA rights reside with the student.** Detailed information is provided in an annual notice (sent via email), the University Catalog, and on the Aggie One Stop website.
- **Student rights include:**
 - The right to inspect and review, with certain limited exceptions, your education record
 - The right to seek amendment of your education record when the records are inaccurate, misleading, or otherwise in violation of FERPA
 - The right to consent to disclosures of personally identifiable information
 - The right to file a complaint with the Department of Education concerning alleged failure by the university to comply with FERPA requirements.

Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA)

- Outside of information designated by Texas A&M as directory information, school officials can disclose your student education information only with your prior, written consent or utilizing an appropriate FERPA exception to written consent.
- **Family Members:** The best practice is for your student and you to have an ongoing conversation about their progress in their courses, including any grades. However, your student can grant you access to their grades through Howdy.

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Mays Exchange Sale

Business Student Council's **Mays Exchange** is hosting a sale of exclusive Mays Business School merchandise **today from 11:45 a.m. to 1:15 p.m.**

Visit Business Student Council (BSC) **downstairs** in the Wayne Roberts Building to browse a selection of limited-edition items and represent your new college!

BSC's Website



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