

Undergraduate Major Map

Catalog Year 2023
College / School Hospitality Management
Major Hospitality Trsm Mgmt - BS
Track / Concentration Event Management
Career Path Four Year Freshman

Fall Term 2023 Math placement is based on ALEKS scores and classes are to be selected in consultation with an advisor. May use UCC Societies and Identities course to satisfy the Global Learning requirement. (2) See endnotes					Term Hours: 13 Cum GPA: 2
Course Group	Course Required	Course Description	Credit Hours	Course Notes	
UCC Communication	ENC 1101	Writing and Rhetoric I	3		
UCC First Year Experience	SLS 1501	First Year Exper	1		
UCC Mathematics Group One			3	(1) See endnotes. Recommend MGF 1107 or MGF 1106.	
Public Speaking	SPC 2608	Public Speaking	3		
Intro to Hospitality and Tourism Management	HFT 1000	Intro to Hosp and Tour	3	Preferably HFT 1000 but if not available, any pre-core except HFT 2401 or HFT 3072.	
Pathways to Hospitality 1	HFT 1070	Pathway I	0		

Spring Term 2024					Term Hours: 13 Cum GPA: 2
Course Group	Course Required	Course Description	Credit Hours	Course Notes	
UCC Communication	ENC 1102	Writing and Rhetoric II	3		
UCC Mathematics Group Two			3	(1) See endnotes. Recommend CGS 2518 or PHI 2100.	
UCC Natural Science Group One			3	(1) See endnotes Take Lecture with corresponding Lab	
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Human Resource Management	HFT 2220	Human Resources for Hosp	3		

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Summer Term 2024				Term Hours: 6
Use this semester to catch up on coursework and/or satisfy the 9 credits summer requirement (if needed). (3) See endnotes				Cum GPA: 2
Course Group	Course Required	Course Description	Credit Hours	Course Notes
UCC Social Science Group One			3	Recommend AMH 2020.
General Electives			3	

Fall Term 2024				Term Hours: 13
May use UCC Humanities with Writing course to satisfy the Global Learning requirement. (2) See endnotes				Cum GPA: 2
Course Group	Course Required	Course Description	Credit Hours	Course Notes
Hospitality Information Technology	HFT 2441	Hospitality Info Tech	3	
UCC Humanities - Group Two			3	
UCC Natural Science - Group Two			3	Take Lecture with corresponding Lab
UCC Natural Science - Group Two			1	Take Lab with corresponding Lecture
Economics	ECO 2023	Principles Microeco	3	Also satisfies UCC Social Science Group 2. (1) See endnotes Also satisfies UCC Foundations of Social Inquiry course. (1) See endnotes

Spring Term 2025				Term Hours: 15
				Cum GPA: 2
Course Group	Course Required	Course Description	Credit Hours	Course Notes
Accounting	HFT 2401	Accounting for Hosp	3	
General Electives			3	
UCC Humanities Group One			3	
Law for the Hospitality Industry	HFT 3603	Hospitality Law & Ethics	3	
Event Management	HFT 3754	Intro to Events Mgt.	3	

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Summer Term 2025 Hospitality Industry Experience Use this semester to catch up on coursework and/or satisfy the 9 credits summer requirement (if needed). (3) See endnotes				Term Hours: 6 Cum GPA: 2
Course Group	Course Required	Course Description	Credit Hours	Course Notes
Management Accounting for the Hospitality Industry	HFT 4474	Mgmt Acct Hosp Ind	3	
General Electives			3	

Fall Term 2025 HFT3503 may be used to satisfy the Global Learning requirement. (2) See endnotes Hospitality Industry Experience				Term Hours: 13 Cum GPA: 2
Course Group	Course Required	Course Description	Credit Hours	Course Notes
Pathways to Hospitality 2	HFT 3072	PATHWAY II	1	
Financial Analysis in the Hospitality Industry	HFT 4464	Fin Anal Hosp Indust	3	
HOSPITALITY MANAGEMENT COMMON CORE			3	HFT 4247- Diversity and Inclusion in the Hospitality Industry
Event Management	HFT 3741	Planning Meetings	3	
General Electives			3	

Spring Term 2026 Hospitality Industry Experience				Term Hours: 15 Cum GPA: 2
Course Group	Course Required	Course Description	Credit Hours	Course Notes
HOSPITALITY MANAGEMENT COMMON CORE			3	Please choose one: HFT 3453 or FSS 4234C.
HOSPITALITY MANAGEMENT COMMON CORE			3	Please choose one: HFT 3503 or HFT 4509.
Hospitality Analytics and Revenue Management	HFT 4413	Hospitality Analytics	3	
Additional Courses	HFT 3733	Tour Production	3	
Hospitality Program Electives			3	

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Summer Term 2026 Use this semester to catch up on coursework and/or satisfy the 9 credits summer requirement (if needed). (3) See endnotes				Term Hours: 6
Course Group	Course Required	Course Description	Credit Hours	Course Notes
EVENT MANAGEMENT MAJOR			3	HFT 3518
Hospitality Program Electives			3	

Fall Term 2026				Term Hours: 13 Cum GPA: 2
Course Group	Course Required	Course Description	Credit Hours	Course Notes
Hospitality Program Electives			3	
HOSPITALITY MANAGEMENT COMMON CORE			3	Please choose one: HFT 4295 or HFT 3006 or HFT 3073 or HFT 4545.
Advanced Internship	HFT 4945	Adv Intern Hsptly	1	
Event Management	HFT 4757	Advanced Events Mgt	3	
Hospitality Program Electives			3	

Spring Term 2027				Term Hours: 6 Cum GPA: 2
Course Group	Course Required	Course Description	Credit Hours	Course Notes
HOSPITALITY MANAGEMENT COMMON CORE			3	HFT 4296- Strategic Management in Hospitality and Tourism.
Hospitality Program Electives			3	

Summer Term 2027 Use this semester to catch up on coursework and/or satisfy the 9 credits summer requirement (if needed). (3) See endnotes				
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General Requirements

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Critical Indicator is the minimum grade indicated in specific courses to demonstrate proficiency and progress in major. Earning less than the minimum grade is a trigger for a conversation with advisor

GENERAL UNIVERSITY REQUIREMENTS

See your Panther Degree Audit (PDA) for a real-time update on your academic career progress and additional information on University and major requirements at <http://my.fiu.edu>.

(1) UCC: Students must meet the University Core Curriculum (UCC) requirements. For a full list of UCC courses, see <http://undergrad.fiu.edu/advising/curriculum.html> or speak with your advisor. UCC courses must be taken for a letter grade and may not be taken at other institutions without permission from the Dean of Undergraduate Education.

(2) Global Learning: Freshmen entering FIU Summer B 2010 or later must take at least two Global Learning (GL) designated courses at FIU. See <http://goglobal.fiu.edu>. Courses must be:

- 1 GL foundation course (from the University Core Curriculum), which must be taken within the first 60 credits.
- 1 GL discipline-specific course (3000/4000 level)

(3) Summer Hours Requirement: All students entering FIU or any university within the State University System (SUS) of Florida with fewer than 60 credit hours are required to earn at least nine credit hours prior to graduation by attending one or more summer terms at a university in the SUS.

(4) Gordon Rule: All Gordon Rule courses (i.e., English Composition, Humanities with Writing, and Quantitative Reasoning) must be completed with a minimum grade of "C." This requirement must be fulfilled within the first 60 credits.

(5) Foreign Language Requirement for Graduation (FLENT/FLEX): A student who did not complete two years of the same foreign language in high school or at a post-secondary institution must successfully complete 8-10 credit hours of instruction in one foreign language prior to graduation. Exceptions include appropriate CLEP, AP, IB, TOEFL, or transfer credit. Contact your advisor for more information.

School of Hospitality and Tourism Management Selected Major Requirements:

Industry Experience Requirement: 1300 hours - A total of 1300 documented hours of hospitality/ tourism related practical training work experience is required. This includes 300 hours in HFT 4945 Advanced Internship. A minimum of 800 hours must be completed while enrolled in the degree program at FIU. The Advanced Internship must be track-related and approved by an advisor. Work experience documentation is required. Students with extensive industry management experience may apply for a waiver of the 1000 hour work experience and Advanced Internship.

Hospitality Management offers 6 majors and the option of a general Hospitality major. If one of the 6 majors is chosen, 4 specific major courses are required and 2 major related electives. If the general hospitality option is chosen, the electives may be chosen from any of the courses offered in our program. Students who do not take any of the 6 lower division prerequisites prior to transferring into FIU with 60 credits, will need to take 6 additional credits of major electives if a major is selected.

The 6 majors are:

Beverage Management

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Culinary Management
Hotel/Lodging Management
Restaurant/Foodservice Management
Event Management
Travel and Tourism Management