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GENERAL ACADEMIC INFORMATION

Minimum Graduation Requirements

- 120 credit hours
- 45 upper-division credit hours (3000-4999 level)
- 2.0 CU cumulative GPA
- Residency: Last 30 credit hours of degree must be completed while registered in the College of Letters, Arts, and Sciences at UCCS

Student Responsibilities

Students are required to know and follow:

- All academic policies set forth by the University, College, and academic department in the UCCS Catalog: catalog.uccs.edu
- All course prerequisites designated by the University. Failure to meet course prerequisites may result in an administrative drop of the course from a student’s schedule. See degree audit for course prerequisites within the academic major.

DEGREE REQUIREMENTS

For more information on the TCID to MBA AMP program: [Home](#) | [Accelerated Master’s Program: TCID to MBA](#)

Major Requirements				
	Course/Area	Course Title	Credit Hours	
<p>Technical Communication and Information Design (TCID) – Accelerated Master’s Program (AMP) (54 credit hours)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Requires a minimum of 36 credit hours of TCID course work, an additional 9 hours in the required Business Administration area of concentration, and an additional 9 hours of MBA Core Courses. • Requires a minimum of 33 credit hours of upper-division (3000-4999 level) TCID course work. • All TCID courses must have a grade of “C-” or better. • All MBA Core Courses must have a grade of “C” or better. <p>NOTE: STRT 6000 must be the first MBA course completed and must be taken in the first semester of the senior year before the additional two courses.</p>	TCID 2080 OR TCID 2090	Business and Administrative Writing Technical Writing and Presentation	3	
	ENGL 3110	Advanced Grammar	3	
	TCID 3100	Foundations of TCID	3	
	TCID 3120	Technical Editing & Style	3	
	TCID 3860	UX Research Methods	3	
	TCID 3130 OR TCID 3865	Web and Print Document Design UX Design Principles	3	
	TCID 4060 OR TCID 4065	TCID Diversity Topics Intercultural TCID	3	
	TCID 4080	Special Topics in TCID	3	
	TCID 4090	TCID Senior Portfolio	3	
	Practice and Theory Courses	<i>Complete 9 credit hours of unused courses from the list below:</i> TCID 3080, 3130, 3140, 3150, 3160, 3650, 3750, 3850, 3865		9
	Required Concentration Area - Business Administration	<i>Complete the following three courses:</i> ACCT 2010, ACCT 2020, QUAN 2010		
	MBA Core Courses	<i>Complete STRT 6000 (required) and two additional MBA courses from the list below:</i> STRT 6000 and two from: ACCT 6100, FNCE 6000, INFS 6000, MGMT 6000, MKTG 6000, OPTM 6000		18

General Education and Elective Requirements																					
Composition (3 hours)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ENGL 1310, 1308, or 1305 (<i>Students choosing ENGL 1305 must complete ENGL 1300 first.</i>) TCID 2080 or TCID 2090 (included in major requirements) 																				
Reasoning Skills (4 hours)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> MATH 1040 QUAN 2010 (included in concentration area requirements) 																				
Area Requirements (27 hours)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Humanities – 9 credit hours of which 3 credits must be HUM 3990. Social Sciences – 9 credit hours of which 6 credits must be ECON 1010 and ECON 2020 Natural Sciences – 9 credits hours of which at least 1 credit must be from a lab course. <p>NOTE: Cannot select courses from primary major courses for area requirements.</p>																				
Oral Communication, Cultural Diversity, and Global Awareness Requirements	One course from each list (see degree audit). <i>All courses that fulfill these requirements may also count towards other general education or major requirements.</i>																				
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General Electives (20 hours)	Complete additional courses to meet total and upper-division requirements for your degree program.																				

FOUR-YEAR DEGREE PLAN

Please note that this is an *example* degree program and your program may vary. **Students are responsible for completing all course prerequisites.**

	√	FALL	Hours	√	SPRING	Hours
	Year One		ENGL 1310	3		TCID 2080 or TCID 2090
		GPS 1010	3		INFS 1100	3
		MATH 1040	4		Humanities Elective	3
		Explore – Arts, Humanities & Cultures Course	3		General Elective	2
		Explore – Physical & Natural World Course	3		General Elective (<i>Oral Communication</i>)	3
		TOTAL	16		TOTAL	14

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Year Two		TCID 3100	3		TCID Practice/Theory Course	3
		ENGL 3110	3		ACCT 2020	3
		ACCT 2010	3		Social Science Elective	3
		Natural Science Elective (w/ lab)	4		Natural Science Elective	2
		Social Science Elective	3		General Elective	3
		TOTAL	16		TOTAL	14

	√	FALL	Hours	√	SPRING	Hours
Year Three		TCID 3120	3		TCID 3130 or TCID 3865 (spring)	3
		TCID 3860	3		TCID 4060 (spring) or TCID 4065 (fall)	3
		QUAN 2010	3		TCID 4080 (spring)	3
		Natural Science Elective	3		Humanities Elective	3
		Social Science Elective (<i>Global Awareness*</i>)	3		General Elective (<i>Sustainability</i>)	3
		TOTAL	15		TOTAL	15

	√	FALL	Hours	√	SPRING	Hours
Year Four		TCID Practice/Theory Course	3		TCID 4090 (spring)	3
		STRT 6000	3		TCID Practice/Theory Course	3
		HUM 3990	3		MBA Core Course	3
		General Elective	3		MBA Core Course	3
		General Elective (<i>Cultural Diversity*</i>)	3		General Elective	3
		TOTAL	15		TOTAL	15

*TCID 4060 will fulfill Cultural Diversity, and TCID 4064 will fulfill Global Awareness. One of these courses is required for the major.