

## PROGRAM OVERVIEW

Understanding risk, how to manage it, and how risk management can be used to increase firm value is essential in the current business environment. An RMI degree will provide an overall perspective on risk with a specific focus on insurance products and their use in mitigating risk in business and personal situations. RMI coursework will prepare students for acquiring certification in their choice of insurance specialty.

## ACADEMIC ADVISING

It is recommended that students meet with an advisor regarding their individualized degree plan at least once per year.

### Business School Advising

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## GENERAL GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS & POLICIES

All CU Denver Business students are required to complete the following minimum general graduation requirements:

1. Complete a minimum of 120 applicable course hours
2. Achieve a minimum 2.0 CU cumulative grade point average (GPA) and business GPA
3. Complete a minimum of 45 upper division (3000/4000 level) credits
4. Residency: complete a minimum of 30 CU Denver business course hours in good standing

## COURSE SCHEDULE & DELIVERY MODES

CU Denver offers courses in both in person (IP) and online (OL) delivery modes. Students may complete this degree entirely online OR 95% in person as some required classes are only offered online. Students that need to take classes either online or in person will need to pay attention to when courses are offered in the format you need. Below are the required classes for this major and when they are generally offered in person and online. Students will need to choose core classes and electives that meet their individual needs:

	When	Fall	Spring	Summer
<b>Core Classes</b>				
ENGL 1020	Semester 1	IP & OL	IP & OL	IP & OL
ENGL 2030	Semester 2	IP & OL	IP & OL	IP & OL
MATH 1060 Finite Math	Semester 1	IP & OL	IP & OL	OL
Social Sciences: ECON 2012	Semester 3	IP & OL	IP & OL	IP & OL
International Perspectives	Semester 6	IP & OL	IP & OL	IP & OL
<b>Graduation Requirements for Business</b>				
UNIV 1110 College Success	Semester 1	IP & OL	IP & OL	
COMM 2050 Business and Professional Speaking	Semester 2	IP & OL	IP & OL	OL
ECON 2022 Principles of Economics: Microeconomics	Semester 4	IP & OL	IP & OL	IP & OL
ENGL 3170 Business Writing	Semester 4	IP & OL	IP & OL	OL
<b>Business Core:</b>				
BUSN 2110+BUSN 3110	Semesters 2 & 3	IP & OL	IP & OL	-
ISMG 2050 Introduction to Business Problem Solving	Semester 2	IP & OL	IP & OL	OL
BANA 2010 Business Statistics	Semester 3	IP & OL	IP & OL	IP & OL
ACCT 2200 Financial Accounting & Financial Stmt Analysis	Semester 3	IP & OL	IP & OL	Either IP or OL
ACCT 2220 Managerial Accounting and Professional Issues	Semester 4	IP & OL	IP & OL	OL
BLAW 3050 Business Law and Ethics	Semester 6	IP & OL	IP & OL	OL
BANA 3000 Operations Management	Semester 7	IP & OL	IP & OL	IP & OL
FNCE 3000 Principles of Finance	Semester 6	IP & OL	IP & OL	OL
ISMG 3000 Technology in Business	Semester 7	IP & OL	IP & OL	OL
MGMT 3000 Managing Individuals and Teams	Semester 5	IP & OL	IP & OL	OL
MKTG 3000 Principles of Marketing	Semester 5	IP & OL	IP & OL	OL
MGMT 4500 Business Policy and Strategic Management	Semester 8	IP & OL	IP & OL	OL (May)
<b>RISK Required Classes</b>				
FNCE 3500 Management of Business Capital	Semester 6	IP	IP	OL
RISK 3809 Introduction to Risk Management	Semester 5	IP & OL	OL	OL
Choose 3 RMI Electives (RISK 4129, RISK 4209, RISK 4309, RISK 4509, RISK 4609, RISK 4709, FNCE 3600, FNCE 3700, FNCE 4500, or ENTP 3260)	Semester 5-6	IP & OL	IP & OL	OL
RISK 3949 Experiential Learning	Semester 6			
RISK 4809 Property and Casualty Insurance	Semester 7	IP	OL	
RISK 4909 Corporate Risk Management	Semester 8	OL	OL	

## SAMPLE ACADEMIC PLAN OF STUDY

The following academic plan is a *sample* pathway to completing degree requirements. This schedule can be adjusted to accommodate AP, IB, and/or CLEP credits, as well as courses taken during the summer sessions. Students should tailor this plan based on transfer credit, course availability, and individual preferences related to course load, schedules, and add-on programs such as minors or double-majors. Students must complete an experiential learning credit (internship, study abroad program, or project-based course) and a capstone course taken in their final semester. **This plan assumes that the foreign language graduation requirement has been completed with high school courses or proficiency exam.**

Year One	Semester 1		CRS
	ENGL 1020 Core Composition I		3
	MATH 1060 Finite Math		3
	Arts, Humanities, OR Behavioral Science		3
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	UNIV 1110 College Success		1
<b>TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS</b>		<b>13</b>	

Semester 2		CRS
ISMG 2050 Intro to Business Problem Solving		3
ENGL 2030 Core Composition II		3
COMM 2050 Business and Professional Speaking		3
Natural and Physical Sciences		3
Arts, Humanities, OR Behavioral Science		3
BUSN 2110 Cultivating Emotional Intelligence		1
<b>TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS</b>		<b>16</b>

Year Two	Semester 3		CRS
	ACCT 2200 Financial Accounting and Financial Statement		3
	BANA 2010 Business Statistics		3
	Social Sciences: ECON 2012 Macroeconomics		3
	ENGL 3170 Business Writing		3
	General Elective (or Regional Expertise/ Foreign Lang)		3
	BUSN 3110 Career & Professional Development		1
<b>TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS</b>		<b>16</b>	

Semester 4		CRS
ACCT 2220 Managerial Accounting and Professional Issues		3
ECON 2022 Principles of Economics: Microeconomics		3
Natural and Physical Sciences with a Lab		4
General Elective (or Regional Expertise/ Foreign Lang)		3
General Elective (or Regional Expertise)		3
<b>TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS</b>		<b>16</b>

Year Three	Semester 5		CRS
	FNCE 3000 Principles of Finance		3
	RISK 3809 Introduction to Risk Management		3
	BLAW 3050 Business Law and Ethics		3
	ISMG 3000 Technology in Business		3
	MGMT 3000 Managing Individuals and Teams		3
<b>TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS</b>		<b>15</b>	

Semester 6		CRS
FNCE 3500 Management of Business Capital (OL Sum)		3
Upper Division RISK Elective or FNCE 3600		3
BANA 3000 Operations Management		3
Experiential Learning: RISK 3949 (internship)		3
International Perspectives		3
<b>TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS</b>		<b>15</b>

Year Four	Semester 7		CRS
	RISK 4809 Property and Casualty Insurance		3
	Upper Division RISK Elective or FNCE 3700 or ENTP 3260		3
	MKTG 3000 Principles of Marketing		3
	International Perspectives		3
General Elective		3	
<b>TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS</b>		<b>15</b>	

Semester 8		CRS
RISK 4909 Corporate Risk Management		3
Upper Division RISK Elective or FNCE 4500		3
MGMT 4500 Business Policy and Strategic Management		3
Cultural Diversity		3
General Elective		2
<b>TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS</b>		<b>14</b>

STUDENTS WANTING TO APPLY FOR THE **RISK MANAGEMENT AND INSURANCE 4+1 PROGRAM** (BSBA & MS IN 5 YEARS) SHOULD COMPLETE 3 RISK COURSES BY THE END OF THEIR 6<sup>TH</sup> SEMESTER OR JUNIOR YEAR, PRIOR TO APPLICATION. UPON RMI 4+1 ACCEPTANCE, STUDENT WILL SUBSTITUTE RISK 6809 & 6909 FOR RISK 4809 & 4909 IN THEIR UNDERGRADUATE DEGREE PLAN. PLEASE SEE ADVISOR FOR MORE INFORMATION.

## DEGREE REQUIREMENTS

Courses	Credits	Prerequisites/Notes	Term	Hours	Grade
*Students are responsible for consulting advisors for current prerequisite and scheduling information as they change regularly					
<b>Required CU Denver Core Curriculum Coursework</b>	<b>34</b>				
ENGL 1020	3				
ENGL 2030	3	ENGL 2030			
MATH 1060 Finite Math	3				
Arts	3				
Humanities	3				
Behavioral Sciences	3				
Social Sciences: ECON 2012	3				
Natural and Physical Sciences <b>with lab</b>	4				
Natural and Physical science	3				
Cultural Diversity (MGMT 4100 recommended)	3				
International Perspectives	3				
<b>Graduation Requirements for Business</b>	<b>10</b>				
UNIV 1110 College Success	1	Only required for entering first term freshmen			
COMM 2050 Business and Professional Speaking	3				
ECON 2022 Principles of Economics: Microeconomics	3				
ENGL 3170 Business Writing	3	Sophomore standing			
<b>Business Core</b>	<b>35</b>				
BUSN 2110 + BUSN 3110	2	1 credit each			
ISMG 2050 Introduction to Business Problem Solving	3				
BANA 2010 Business Statistics	3	MATH 1060, Sophomore standing			
ACCT 2200 Financial Acct and Statement Analysis	3	MATH 1060, Sophomore standing			
ACCT 2220 Managerial Acct and Professional Issues	3	MATH 1060, ACCT 2200, Sophomore standing			
BLAW 3050 Business Law and Ethics	3	Junior Standing			
BANA 3000 Operations Management	3	MATH 1060, ACCT 2200, BANA 2010, junior standing			
FNCE 3000 Principles of Finance	3	MATH 1060, ACCT 2200, BANA 2010, ECON 2012, ECON 2022, junior standing			
ISMG 3000 Technology in Business	3	Junior standing			
MGMT 3000 Managing Individuals and Teams	3	Junior Standing			
MKTG 3000 Principles of Marketing	3	Junior Standing, Coreq COMM 2050			
MGMT 4500 Business Policy and Strategic Management	3	All Business Core with C or C- or better – see catalog			
<b>International Studies</b>	<b>3</b>				
ACCT 4370, MKTG 4200, FNCE 4370, MGMT 4400, RISK 4509	3	Choose one			
<b>Major: Risk Management and Insurance</b>	<b>24</b>				
FNCE 3500 Management of Business Capital	3	FNCE 3000			
RISK 3809 Introduction to Risk Management	3	Prereq: FNCE 3000			
RISK 4809 Property and Casualty Insurance	3	Junior Standing			
RISK 4909 Corporate Risk Management	3	RISK 3809, Coreq: FNCE 3500			
Experiential Learning : RISK 3949 (internship)	3	required			
<b>Choose Three:</b>	<b>9</b>				
RISK 4000 Electives (RISK 4129, RISK 4209, RISK 4309, RISK 4509, RISK 4609, and/or RISK 4709)		some require RISK 3809 and/or FNCE 3000			
FNCE Electives (FNCE 3600, FNCE 3700, and/or FNCE 4500)		Coreq: FNCE 3000 Coreq: FNCE 3500			
ENTP 3260 High Impact Sales for Entrepreneurs					
<b>Foreign Language Proficiency</b>	<b>10*</b>	*If proficiency is met, student is responsible for completing 10 additional electives			
<b>Other Courses-Electives</b>	<b>4*</b>	*14 if language proficiency is met			
<b>Total Credit Hours: 120</b>					