

SMALL BUSINESS MANAGEMENT/ ENTREPRENEURSHIP CERTIFICATE IN APPLIED SCIENCE

Program Description

This program provides students with the foundation for starting and/or managing a small business.

Mission Statement

The mission of the Small Business Management/Entrepreneurship Certificate in Applied Science is to provide students with the foundation to start and/or manage a small business.

Entrance Requirements

- High school diploma or GED
- Basic knowledge of Microsoft Excel is suggested before enrolling in BUS 110 Entrepreneurship and MGT 120 Small Business Management.

Type of Program

Day, evening, or online

Requirements for Completion

- Students must receive a grade of "C" or higher in program courses, concentration courses, corequisites, and prerequisites in order to be eligible for graduation.

Employment Opportunities

Small business owners and aspiring entrepreneurs

Visit our web page at <https://www.gvltec.edu/management/>.

Recommended Program Schedule

Listed below is the ideal grouping of courses in order by semester. This plan assumes a full-time schedule. Note, however, that many variables can affect this plan, and not every course is offered every semester. Please see your advisor to map out your own personalized progression toward graduation.

Note: Please contact your advisor for recommended evening schedules.

First Semester		Hours
CPT 170	Computer Applications I	3
ENG 101	English Composition I ¹	3
MGT 101	Principles of Management	3
COL 111	E-Learning Success	1
MAT 120	Probability and Statistics (or higher math)	3
Total Semester Hours		13

Second Semester		
BUS 110	Entrepreneurship	3
BUS 121	Business Law I	3
MKT 101	Marketing	3
ACC 101	Accounting Principles I	3
Total Semester Hours		12
Third Semester		
MGT 201	Human Resource Management	3
Select one of the following:		3
ECO 105	Introduction to Economic Principles	
ECO 210	Macroeconomics ¹	
ECO 211	Microeconomics ¹	
MGT 120	Small Business Management	3
Total Semester Hours		9
Total Required Credit Hours		34

¹ General education course