

Foundation Course Equivalency
MBA Program
Philadelphia University

Name: _____

Student ID# or _____ SS# _____

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The foundation courses provide a comprehensive general business education and serve as the foundation for advanced study. These courses are often referred to as the common body of knowledge that graduates of an undergraduate business program are expected to have completed.

MBA Foundation Courses

Undergraduate Equivalents

___ MF01 Intro. to Computer Skills (1cr.)	___ Information Systems (B122)
___ MF03 Foundations of Economic Analysis	___ Macroeconomics (E821) and ___ Microeconomics (E821)
___ MF04 Intro. to Financial and Managerial Accounting	___ Financial Accounting (B403) and ___ Managerial Accounting (B423)
___ MF05 Financial Management	___ Principles of Finance (B642)
___ MF06 Principles of Marketing	___ Principles of Marketing (B221)
___ MF08 Statistical Analysis for Business Decisions	___ Statistics I (B151) and ___ Statistics II (B152)
___ MF09 Principles of Management	___ Principles of Management (B123)
___ MF10 Operations Management	___ Operations Management (B141)
___ MF11 Decision Making in the Legal Environment of Business	___ Business Law I (B421)

Approved by: _____ Date: _____

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Students with satisfactory equivalent undergraduate or graduate records may have some or all of these foundation courses waived. To be exempt from the foundation courses the following criteria must be met:

1. "C" grades or better in undergraduate equivalents. Students may not waive more than 5 courses in which they have received grades of "C". Waived courses are to be determined by the Director of the MBA program.
2. Seven year time limit between date of matriculation in the MBA program and time when undergraduate course was taken.
3. Undergraduate equivalents must be from an accredited university or college.

Individuals without an undergraduate degree in Business Administration: Many individuals are eager to pursue an M.B.A. degree, but have not studied the above courses. For this reason these foundation courses are offered at the graduate level, but may be completed in several ways.

1. Completion of the necessary M.B.A. foundation or undergraduate equivalents.
2. Satisfactory completion of a proficiency examination offered by the college.
3. Satisfactory performance in the appropriate College Level Examination Program (CLEP) offered by the Educational Testing Service, Princeton, New Jersey.