Bryan School of Business and Economics
Welcome
to the Bryan School of Business & Economics

Bryan Undergraduate Student Services
June SOAR 2018
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Agenda

- Sign In
- Overview of Bryan Undergraduate Student Services
- General Advising Information
- Registration Information
- Information for Parents & Family Members
- Questions
Undergraduate Student Services
Academic Advising

USS Advising

- What we do
- When you **must** see us
- When you **should** see us

HAVE YOU SEEN YOUR ADVISOR LATELY?

Do something bigger altogether
Things to consider...
Your Major…

- Accounting (ACC)
- Business Administration - Business Studies, Human Resources, or Management (BUS)
- Consumer Apparel and Retail Studies – Apparel Product Design (APD), Global Apparel & Related Industries (GARI), or Retailing & Consumer Studies (RCS)
- Economics (ECO)
- Entrepreneurship (ENT)
- Finance (FIN)
- Sustainable Tourism & Hospitality (STH)
- Information Systems & Supply Chain Management - Information Systems (ISM) or Supply Chain Management (SCM)
- International Business (INTB)
- Marketing (MKT)
How did you choose your major?

A. My parents told me what to pick.
B. I choose the same major as my friends.
C. It’s what interests me most and is what I want to do.
D. It was random—majors aren’t important.
Your Major

Don’t make these mistakes:

- Base your decision on money alone.
- Base your decision on what someone else wants.
- Base your decision on what your friends are doing.
What is the average percentage of students graduating in 4 years?

A. 30%
B. 96%
C. 70%
D. 3%
Approximately 30% of students graduate in 4 years.

- What do I need to do to graduate on time?
- Why graduate in 4 years?
- What is on time for you?
- Would you rather be quick or successful?
Why did you come to college?
A. It’s what everyone else is doing.
B. To study and learn new things.
C. I was bored.
D. To get a job/career
The number 1 reason college students give for going to college is to get a job.

Is it enough to just graduate?

What can you do to improve your chances of post-graduation employment?
Registration
What to Expect
ID and PIN

Student ID#
- 9 digit number begins with 88, issued by UNCG
- Located on the back of your nametag

PIN#
- 6 digit numerical password that you created
- Getmypin.uncg.edu

You must reset your password as soon as you get the email
High School vs. College

High School
- Most of your classes are arranged for you
- Teachers remind you of what needs to be done
- You are not expected to know what you need to graduate

College
- You arrange your own schedule
- You manage your own time and assignments
- Graduation requirements are complex and you are expected to know what is needed
# Sample Student Schedule

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Pre-Registration

Bryan School Majors (with the exception of ECO or CARS concentrations):

- BUS 105
- ISM 110
- Global Sustainability Elective

CARS Concentrations – APD, GARI, and RCS:

- CRS 211 or CRS 242
- CRS 231
- ISM 110

Economics BA and BS:

- BUS 105
- ECO 201
- ECO 219
New This Year!

- Bryan School Majors—with the exception of any CARS concentration—should take the Math Placement Test before classes start.
- The Math Placement Test is an online exam that you can take whenever you are ready. It will take you approximately 45 minutes.
- You must contact the Math Department to get online access to the test.
Remember

- Any course you may have been pre-registered for is something that is required for you to graduate.
- You will leave with a full schedule of courses that are required for your major.
- This is your time, your education, and these are ultimately your decisions.
- You are not alone.
BUS 105 & Bryan Gold

- BUS 105 is your blueprint for professional success
  - Learn how to network, interview, create a resume, and develop your professional brand
- The Bryan Gold Career Readiness Challenge prepares you for the future
  - Starts in BUS 105 and continues throughout your undergraduate career
  - Earn points, level up, and collect badges while gaining valuable experiences
- Get the internships and jobs you want
Bryan School
Parents & Family Members
Advising Communication

There are some things we just can’t share with you.

Please contact us with any information you feel we should know.
What will you do?

Students are about to start a major life transition.

So are you.
Family Members: What will you do?
What will you do?

During Orientation your student declares that his schedule is “lousy” and he’s sure he’ll never be able to graduate.
What will you do?

A. Log into his account to try to make schedule changes yourself.
B. Call the Dean’s Office and demand a better schedule for your student.
C. Ask him if the classes he has are meeting degree requirements.
D. Tell him it was a good try, but maybe college is just not for him.
What will you do?

Your student calls you at the end of the first month of classes and says that she’s not cut out for college. She is miserable and wants to come home right now.
What will you do?

A. Tell her you miss her and that life hasn’t been the same without her since she left.

B. Give her a pep talk about how grown up she is and how she can rise to the challenge.

C. Listen.

D. Tell her to talk to a counselor or advisor to get a perspective from a trained professional.

E. Send an angry email to the chancellor and demand that something be done.
Students:
What will you do?
What will you do?

You are getting ready to register for classes. What should your first semester schedule look like?
What will you do?

A. Class Monday through Friday from 8 to 5 with only a break for lunch
B. Class Tuesday and Thursday from 8 to 12
C. It varies depending on student preference, class availability, and extra-curricular activities
D. I have to register for classes?
You have failed all your first semester classes and your parents want to know your grades.
What will you do?

A. Refuse to answer your phone. They have to stop calling eventually, right?
B. Lie.
C. Own up to your mistakes.
D. Give your parents access to your information via the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA) so you can let your advisor tell them.
Your Transition

It might be time...

...to renegotiate your relationship.
People learn from their mistakes only when they are allowed to make them.
Resiliency is crucial and should be encouraged.
Problem-solving is a skill that must be developed through experience.
It is a process—it takes time and is not always (or usually) comfortable.
Questions?

Q & A

You have Questions
We have Answers