This curriculum is designed to prepare students for careers in the rapidly expanding agricultural business sector. Students receive instruction in the agricultural sciences, agricultural economics, accounting, finance, policy, marketing and management. Students learn how the economic system operates as well as the role agriculture plays in the U.S. and global economy. The program emphasizes training related to the management phases of agricultural industry and business. Excellent career opportunities are available in industries allied with agriculture, including those engaged in transportation, distribution, marketing and processing of farm products; agricultural banking and farm credit agencies; farm real estate and land appraisal services; insurance; agricultural supply businesses and cooperative management; agricultural policy at state and federal levels; market analysis and international agricultural trade.

Concentration Requirements

Agricultural Business (1171) 85 total hours

- Accounting 201-202
- Agriculture Core courses—Agricultural Economics 110 and choose six hours from:
  Animal Science 110, Plant Science 110, Agricultural Engineering Technology 110,
  Agriculture 390, or Soil Science 210
- Agriculture 230 or 420 or Agricultural Economics 444; Agricultural Economics 440
- Agricultural Economics 250; 311; 325, 335, 364; 370; 390; 415; 465; 471; 475 or 485; 480

- Agriculture/Natural Resources Management Electives

- Business Electives, choose twelve hours from:
  Business Law 201; Finance 301, 341; Economics 311, 312; Management 300, 304, 307;
  Marketing 301, 302 and 340
- Mathematics General Education Requirement 160 or 210
- General Electives
- Social and Behavioral Sciences: Economics 201, 202

*At least 30 hours of concentration requirements must be taken in upper-division courses.