Eastern Illinois University MBA Prerequisites

There are two MBA courses in PSM-GIS degree requirements:

MBA 5010 – Accounting from a Management Perspective

o Prerequisite: BUS 2101: Financial Accounting, and

o Prerequisite: BUS 2102: Managerial Accounting

MBA 5680 – Organizational Behavior and Group Dynamics

o Prerequisite: BUS 3010: Principles of Management

There are numerous approaches available in the EIU MBA program to satisfy these prerequisites. The Graduate Coordinators in GIS and MBA can provide you with advice and guidance in helping you determine the path for completion. Prerequisites must be successfully met prior to the first day of class.

- 1) Take the classes at EIU. Multiple sections of BUS 2101, BUS 2102, and BUS 3010 are offered by the EIU School of Business each Fall and Spring semester face-to-face on Charleston's campus. Typically either BUS 2101 or BUS 2102, and BUS 3010 are offered as online courses during Summer semesters. Each is a three-credit course offered at standard EIU tuition rates.
- 2) Complete the class through a community college or university. The equivalents of BUS 2101 and BUS 2102 can be completed at a community college or university; BUS 3010 equivalent needs to be completed at a 4-year college or university. *It is highly recommended to verify with the Graduate Coordinator regarding course equivalencies prior to enrollment at another institution. Once the course is completed with a grade of "C" or higher, have transcripts sent to the MBA program office.
- 3) Online modules offered by EIU's MBA program. Each online module consists of 25 40 hours of course materials. Modules cover the essential material that is required for you to be successful in the MBA class(es) that requires it as a prerequisite. Modules are conveniently offered throughout the year "on demand" so that you can use a module that you have passed to fulfill a prerequisite for the upcoming semester.

The <u>cost of each module is \$350</u> and includes the text, videos, and other materials that you will need to complete each module. We recommend signing up for one module at a time, as you have 90 days from the date of enrollment to complete the module. After 90 days, you will need to reenroll and pay to repeat the module. Students complete an online assessment exam at the end of each module and must successfully pass with an 80% or higher score within three attempts to meet the related prerequisite.

Modules are not-for-credit, do not show up on your transcript, and can only be used to fulfill a prerequisite for EIU MBA classes.

Questions? Contact the EIU MBA program at 217-581-3028 or e-mail mba@eiu.edu.



Register and pay for modules by going to Ivy Software's E-Commerce site for EIU's MBA program: www.eiu.edu/moduleregistration/