

## **BACHELOR of ARTS in MATHEMATICS (#528) B3: Fundamentals of Mathematical Studies**

Department of Mathematics

Ogden College of Science and Engineering

Western Kentucky University

The following four-year plan is an example of how to map your program in consultation with your faculty advisor. Every student will finish with a unique plan of his/her own depending on the electives selected.

<b>Success Markers</b>	SAMPLE - 4 year plan			
FIRST YEAR	Fall Semester		Spring Semester	
	MATH 136 – Calculus I (F-QR)	4	MATH 137* - Calculus II	4
	CS 180 – Computer Science I	4	CS 181 – Computer Science II <b>OR</b> MATH 371 – Computational Problem Solving	3-4
	PHIL 215 – Elementary Logic (prerequisite for CS 181 if taking that course) <b>OR</b> EE 180 – Digital Circuits	3	ENGL 100 Introduction to College Writing (F-W1)	3
	Natural & Physical Science & Lab (E-NS, LS)	4	HIST 101 World History I OR HIST 102 World History II (F-SB)	3
			Social & Behavioral Studies (E-SB)	3
	TOTAL CREDIT HOURS	15	TOTAL CREDIT HOURS	16

SECOND YEAR	Fall Semester		Spring Semester	
	MATH 307* - Linear Algebra	3	MATH 237 – Multivariable Calculus	4
	MATH 310 – Discrete Math	3	MATH 317 – Introduction to Algebraic Systems	3
	COMM 145 Fund of Public Speaking and Communication (F-OC)	3	Math Elective (300/400 level)**	3
	ENG 200 Intro to Literature (F-AH)	3	Arts & Humanities (E-AH)	3
	World Language, if needed, OR General Elective	3	Natural & Physical Science (E-NS)	3
	TOTAL CREDIT HOURS	15	TOTAL CREDIT HOURS	16

**World Language Proficiency:** All students entering in fall 2014 or later must demonstrate proficiency in a world language at the Novice High level before completing 60 credit hours. Novice high is the ability to communicate in writing and speaking on familiar topics in simple sentences. To meet this requirement, students may take college language courses or take a proficiency test. For more information go to: <u>World Language Proficiency</u>.

**Colonnade Program:** All students entering in fall 2014 or later must complete 39 hours in 13 specific Colonnade areas. Colonnade areas are listed in parentheses marked in blue after the corresponding classes. Some areas may have specific course requirements while others can be chosen from selected lists of options. For more details and to see lists of options, go to <u>Colonnade Requirements</u>.

THIRD YEAR	Fall Semester		Spring Semester	ster	
	MATH 337 – Elements of Real Analysis	3	MATH 450 – Complex Variables	3	
	Math Elective (300/400 level)**	3	Math Elective (300/400 level)**	3	
	Math Elective (300/400 level)**	3	Connections: Systems (K-SY)	3	
	ENG 300 Writing in the Disciplines (F-W2)	3	Connections: Social & Cultural (K-SC)	3	
	Connections: Local to Global (K-LG)	3	General Elective	3	
	TOTAL CREDIT HOURS	15	TOTAL CREDIT HOURS	15	

SUMMER TERM	Summer Term		
	It is STRONGLY recommended to purse an internship in your prospective career field after the third year.		

FOURTH YEAR	Fall Semester		Spring Semester		
	MATH 431 – Intermediate Analysis I	3	MATH 498 – Senior Seminar General Elective	3	
	Math Elective (300/400 level)**	3	Math Elective (300/400 level)**	3	
	General Electives	8	General Electives	8	
	TOTAL CREDIT HOURS	14	TOTAL CREDIT HOURS	14	

## **Total Credit Hours:120**

\* Denotes prerequisite courses before admission

\*\* Two courses from MATH 405, 406, 409, 415, 417, 423, 435, 439, 470, 473, 482. Twelve more hours from MATH 275 (up to 3 hours), STAT 301, MATH 305, 315, 323, 331, 370, 371 (if not taken in place of CS 181), 382, 398 (up to 3 hours), 405, 406, 409, 415, 423, 435, 470, 473, 475 (up to 6 hours), 482.

PLEASE NOTE: Prerequisites, Course Numbers, and Course Titles are subject to change.

Consult your advisor each semester.

Course Descriptions may be viewed at <a href="http://www.wku.edu/catalog">http://www.wku.edu/catalog</a>

## FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION, PLEASE CONTACT:

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