



## Pathways in Business Administration Transfer Guide

Rio Salado College – A.A.S. in General Business  
Empire State College – B.S. in Business Administration

### Rio Salado College – General Business (A.A.S.)

MGT 175 Business Organization & Management or MGT 251 Human Relations in Business	3
GBS 151 Introduction to Business	3
CIS 105 Survey of Computer Information Systems	3
MHT 271 Principles of Marketing	3
GBS 205 Legal, Ethical and Regulatory Issues in Business	3
ACC 111 Accounting Principles I	3
GBS 120 Workplace Communication Skills or GBS 233 Business Communication	3
Restricted Electives *	18

ENG 101 First-Year Composition or ENG 107 First-Year Composition for ESL	3
CRE 101 College Critical Reading and Critical Thinking	0-3
Mathematics	3-6
ENG 102 First-Year Composition or ENG 108 First-Year Composition for ESL	3
Natural Sciences	4
Humanities, Fine Arts, and Design	3
ECN 211 Macroeconomic Principles or ECN 212 Microeconomic Principles or SBU 200 Society and Business	3
COM 100 Intro to Human Communication or COM 110 Interpersonal Communication or COM 225 Public Speaking or COM 230 Small Group Communication	3
CPD 115 Creating College Success or CPD 150 Strategies for College Success or CPD 150AC Educational & Career Planning or CPD 104 Career and Personal Development	0-3

**Total RSC Credit 61-70**  
**(Potential additional lower-division credits at RSC<sup>1</sup> 9-18)**

### SUNY Empire State College – Business Administration, B.S. (Sample Only, Upper-Division)

BUSN 3010 Business Ethics	4
BUSN 4030 International Business	4
HRMS 3015 Human Resources Management	4
FSMA 3010 Corporate Finance	4
BUSN 3122 Management Information Systems	4
MGMT 3060 Organizational Behavior	4
MGMT 3050 Operations Management	4

Educational Planning	4
Liberal Arts and Science elective	3
Elective	2

<sup>1</sup> Any of these 9-18 credits not completed at Rio Salado College will be completed at Empire State College. Students should seek advisement from an SUNY Empire advisor in advance of selecting which courses to take to ensure they will fit into the baccalaureate degree plan.

MGMT 4035 Strategic Management	4
Business Elective	4

**Total Empire State College Credit      45**  
**Degree Program Total                      124**

\* SUNY Empire requires that students take lower-division courses in Financial Accounting, Managerial Accounting, Microeconomics, Macroeconomics, and Statistics. Any of these courses not completed prior to transfer will be completed at SUNY Empire.

### **Notes**

SUNY Empire requires B.S. degree students to complete a minimum of 62 liberal arts and sciences credits.

To satisfy SUNY General Education requirements, every SUNY Empire bachelor's degree program must include at least 30 credits in seven of ten general education knowledge and skill areas, as well as the areas of Mathematics and Basic Communication. The ten areas include:

Mathematics	Other World Civilizations
Natural Sciences	Humanities
Social Sciences	The Arts
American History	Foreign Languages
Western Civilizations	Basic Communications

### **Benefits for Rio Salado College Transfer Students**

Empire State College will provide the following benefits for participating RSC transfer students:

- Guaranteed admission to the B.S. in Business Administration degree program
- Provision of a one-time \$100 *Better Together* transfer scholarship
- Waiver of the \$50 admission / orientation fee
- Waiver of the admissions application essay
- Non-New York residents are eligible for an Empire State College nonresident tuition grant that significantly lowers their tuition rate

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### **For Further Information**

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