Northern Virginia Community College 2009-2010 Catalog

BUSINESS MANAGEMENT:

Public Management Specialization

Associate of Applied Science Degree

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Purpose: This specialization provides knowledge and skills in public sector management and is designed to prepare students for initial employment or advancement in present employment. The occupational objectives include administrative assistant, management trainee, supervisor, office manager, or manager in local, state, federal, or non-profit organizations.

Recommended Preparation: The student should possess a proficiency in high school English and a strong background in basic arithmetic operations.

Two Years		Credits
1st Semester		
ACC	211 Principles of Accounting I	3
BUS	100 Introduction to Business	3
ENG	111 College Composition I	3
¹ MTH	151 Mathematics for the Liberal Arts I	3
² PED	116 Lifetime Fitness & Wellness	1
PLS	211 U.S. Government I	3
SDV	Elective	<u>1</u>
	Total	17
2nd Semester		
ACC	212 Principles of Accounting II	3
BUS	200 Principles of Management	3
ENG	112 College Composition II	3
PBS	100 Intro to Public Administration	3
PBS	105 Personnel Mgt. in the Public Sector	3
PLS	212 U.S. Government II or Elective	<u>3</u>
	Total	18
3rd Semester		
BUS	201 Organizational Behavior	3
BUS	202 Applied Management Principles	3
BUS	241 Business Law I	3
³ CST	Elective	3
⁴ ECO	120 Survey of Economics	3
5	Humanities/Fine Arts Elective	<u>3</u>
	Total	18
4th Semester		
BUS	220 Intro to Business Statistics	3
BUS	226 Computer Business Applications or	
	AST 236 Specialized Software Applications or	
	ITE 115 Intro to Computer Applications & Concepts	3
PBS	116 Public Budgeting & Finance	3
PBS	240 Constitutional Law	3
⁶ PBS	Elective	3
² PED/RPK Elective <u>1</u>		
	Total	16

Total credits for the A.A.S. Degree in Business Management with a Specialization in Public Management = 69

¹ Students may substitute a higher-level math. Consult a faculty advisor for appropriate selection.

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² The PED requirement may be met by one of the following options: PED 116, 2 cr.; PED 116, 1 cr. plus a PED activities course, 1 cr.; or PED 116, 1 cr. plus RPK activities course. PED is offered as both a 1-credit and a 2-credit course.

³The CST elective may be selected from the following: CST 100, 110, 115, 126, 227 or 229.

⁴ ECO 201 or 202 may be substituted for ECO 120.

⁵ Humanities/fine arts elective may be selected from the humanities/fine arts courses listed under General Education Electives.

⁶ PBS elective may be selected from ACC, CON, BUS, ECO, FIN, ITD, ITE, ITN, ITP, MKT, PBS, or PLS.