

EBF Scheduling Night

March 26, 2018

Course Schedules

- ACCTG 211: Spring/Summer
- BLAW 243: Fall/Spring
- EBF 200: Fall/Spring/Summer
- EBF 301: Fall/Spring/Summer
- EBF 304: Fall/Spring (**EBF 497 can substitute**)
- **RM 302: Plan to take during fall term**
- **EBF 401: Fall Only**
- EBF 402: Spring Only
- **EBF 410: No Longer Offered (ENLM students take PNG 301, Spring '19)**
- EBF 411: Spring Only
- **EBF 472: No Longer Offered (Take STAT 401)**
- EBF 473: Fall/Spring/Summer
- **EBF 483: Fall/Summer**
- **EBF 484: Spring Only**
- IB 303: Fall/Spring

EBF Course Prerequisites

- EBF 200: ECON 102
- EBF 304: EBF 200
- EBF 401: EBF 200, EBF 301, EME 460, STAT 200 or higher or EBF 472
- EBF 402: BLAW 243
- EBF 411: GEOSC 1
- EBF 473: EBF 200, EBF 301, MATH 140, STAT 200 or higher or EBF 472
- EBF 483: EBF 200, EBF 301, MATH 140, STAT 200 or higher or EBF 472
- EBF 484: EBF 200, EBF 301, MATH 140, STAT 200 or higher or EBF 472

What Should I Take?

New to EBF? Take ECON 102, MATH 140/141, EBF 200, EBF 301 and STAT 401 as soon as possible

Next Steps? Time to take EME 460, BLAW 243, CMPSC 101, ECON 104/302, ACCTG 211, EBF 483/484

Getting Close to Graduation? Take EBF 304, EBF 401 (Fall Only!), EBF 473, IB 303, RM 302, 400-level elective

Don't forget Gen Ed, minor classes, ENGL 15/202!

Natural Science Courses (100 Level Electives)

- The official list from the Bulletin is below.
- Any GN course offered by EMS can be used to fill this requirement (need a course substitution form for a class not listed in the Bulletin).
- Hard science classes from other Colleges (e.g. CHEM 112, PHYS 212) will also count (need a course substitution form for a class not listed in the Bulletin).

GENERAL OPTION: (24–36 credits)

ADDITIONAL COURSES (9–10 credits)

Select 6–7 credits from: CHEM 110 GN(3), EARTH 100 GN(3), EARTH 101 GN;US(3), EARTH 103 GN(3), EARTH 111 GN;US(3), EARTH 150 GN(3), EGEE 101 GN(3), EGEE 102 GN(3), EGEE 120 GS;US;IL(3), GEOG 110 GN(3), GEOG 115 GN(3), GEOSC 002 GN(3), GEOSC 010 GN(3), GEOSC 020 GN(3), GEOSC 021 GN(3), GEOSC 040 GN(3), MATSE 081 GN;IL(3), METEO 003 GN(3), METEO 101 GN(3), PHYS 211 GN(4) or PHYS 250 GN(4) (Sem: 1–4)

Environmental Courses (400 Level Electives) Offered Fall 2018

(Note that many have prerequisites, and classes not on your degree audit will need petitions)

- CED: 404, 427, 429, 450
- ECON: 306, 402, 415, 443, 444, 448, 449
- EGEE 451, 497 (Solar Ecology)
- EME 301
- ERM 497 (Water Resources Policy)
- FOR 440
- GEOG: 430, 431, 432, 438, 497 (GIS: Spatial Network Analysis)
- METEO 473

3-6-9 General Education Option

- 3 or 6 credits of GA
- 3 or 6 credits of GH
- 9 credits of GS (ECON 102, 104, 302)
- Want to do the 3-6-9 option? You'll need to submit a petition form to an advisor in the Ryan Family Student Center after you finish all of your gen ed courses.
- You'll also need 3 additional credits of "electives" to reach 120 credits total to graduate.

Just Need Petition Forms Signed?

Drop them in the envelope (Make sure they are filled out completely!)

Remember GEN ED petitions must go to the Student Center, not to your advisor or the program chair!

In Pre-Major Status?

- Enroll in the major (through LionPath) as soon as possible!
- Entry to major requirements:
 - Entered PSU Spring 2017 or earlier: MATH 140, ECON 102 with C or higher
 - Entered PSU Summer 2017 or later: MATH 140, MATH 141, ECON 102 (C or higher in all), 2.8 cumulative GPA, 40-70 PSU credits.
- Many courses are controlled to limit entry to those enrolled in the EBF major. If you aren't enrolled then we can't let you in those classes!
- Make sure that you take your math classes (MATH 140/141) as soon as possible.
- If you are completing a minor, get started early!

Want to Know About Summer Classes?

- EBF publishes a list of summer classes every year. It is available on the EBF web site.
- Planned summer course options for 2018:
 - EBF 200
 - EBF 301
 - EME 460
 - EBF 483
 - EBF 473
 - FIN 301 and 305 (substitute for EBF 401, but you need to meet the prerequisites)
 - Note: As of this morning (3/26), the UP summer section of FIN 301 was full.**
 - Environmental Courses (400 Level Electives; check the schedule of classes at public.lionpath.psu.edu to see what is being offered in a given summer)
 - Math, statistics, accounting, CMPSC, BLAW, ENGL 15/202

Want to Know About Minor Choices?

- Start planning a minor early! (MinorQuest, at dus.psu.edu/minorquest may be helpful here.)
- The following minors may be used to satisfy the EBF General Option minor requirement.
 - Any minor offered by EMS, except EBF and Environmental Inquiry
 - Any hard science/engineering minor (e.g. Chemistry, Environmental Engineering)
 - Any foreign language
 - Business Law, Civic and Community Engagement, Entrepreneurship and Innovation, Environmental Resource Management, Math, Statistics, Supply Chain, Sustainability Leadership, Watersheds and Water Resources
 - You can also take any concurrent major instead of a minor, as long as EBF students are accepted into the concurrent major.

Entrepreneurship and Innovation Minor (ENTI)

- Many EBF students are attracted to the ENTI minor, but the New Ventures cluster is becoming seriously over-subscribed.
- Seats in New Ventures cluster courses may be limited in the future.
- EBF students interested in the ENTI minor should seriously consider an alternative cluster. Good alternatives are:
 - Entrepreneurship as Advocacy
 - Food and Bio Innovation
 - Social Entrepreneurship
 - Technology Based Entrepreneurship
- The program chair will not waive the minor requirement because of difficulty accessing or scheduling classes. **PLAN EARLY!**

Want to Know About the Study Abroad Option?

- Start planning early! The EBF Study Abroad Guide (on the EBF web site) is helpful.
- Study abroad generally needs to be planned *at least one year in advance*.
- The program chair *must document and approve study abroad choices, including preliminary course lists, before you apply.*
 - For most programs, plan on taking 12 credits that could substitute for major requirements
 - The “study away” program in Pittsburgh is acceptable for the General Option (<http://studyawaypittsburgh.psu.edu/>)

Helpful Documents, at: www.eme.psu.edu/ebf

- The EBF Insider's Guides
- Summer courses for EBF students
- EBF check sheets (and how to use them)
- Study Abroad Guide for EBF students
- Check the bulletin board outside 115 Hosler for more information!