

# Business

## University of Maryland

### Limited Enrollment Program Information

Robert H. Smith School of Business

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The Upper Division BMGT program is also available at Shady Grove. For more information, please contact Luke Glasgow at 301-738-6079 or [Lglasgow@rhsmith.umd.edu](mailto:Lglasgow@rhsmith.umd.edu).

*Freshman Direct Admits:* All students accepted directly as freshmen into the Smith School must complete a series of gateway courses and submit to a review at 45 credits to determine continuing eligibility. Gateway courses include:

- Completion of BMGT 220 and 230<sup>1</sup>, or 231<sup>2</sup> (or equivalent) with a minimum grade of C-
- Completion of MATH 120 (formerly MATH 220), 130 or 140 with a minimum grade of C-

<sup>1</sup>*The following courses are approved substitutes for BMGT230: BIOM301, CCJS200, ECON230, ECON321, EDMS451, GEOG306, INST314, PSYC200, and SOCY201.*

<sup>2</sup>*The following courses are approved substitutes for BMGT231: ENCE302, ENEE324, ENME392, or STAT400*

A minimum grade point average of 2.0 in all courses is required at the 45-credit review.

*Transfer Admission Requirements:* Admission to the Smith School is highly competitive. Academic record, co-curricular involvement, leadership experience, and honors and awards are considered in the admission decision. Students are strongly encouraged to submit a resume and letter detailing their accomplishments and experience with their applications.

Students are accepted on a space-available basis after completing the following gateway courses and meeting the following requirements:

- Completion of BMGT 220 and 230<sup>1</sup>, or 231<sup>2</sup> (or equivalent) with a minimum grade of C-.
- Completion of MATH 120 (formerly MATH 220), 136 (130) or 140 with a minimum grade of C- or above.
- Applicant must have earned at least 45 cumulative credits by end of the semester that an application has been submitted.<sup>3</sup>
- A minimum grade point average of 3.0 in all college coursework is required for consideration for all internal and external transfer applicants.<sup>4</sup>

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<sup>3</sup>Students may begin to apply for admission during the semester in which they will earn 45 cumulative credits. Applications are due on/before March 15 for the fall semester, and October 15 for the spring semester. Applicants who have earned 45 credits and completed all required gateway courses at the time of their application are notified of their admission decision in early April for fall admission and early

December for spring admission. Students who are in the process of completing the required gateways or accumulating 45 credits at the time of their application are notified of their admission decision after the semester has ended and final grades for the semester have been calculated.

*<sup>4</sup>As of Fall 2019, admitted University of Maryland students applying to Business, who have completed all of the LEP gateway requirements, and have a 3.0 - 3.799 cumulative grade point average across all attempted college coursework will undergo a competitive review for admission to the Business major. Admitted University of Maryland students applying to Business, who have completed all of the LEP gateway requirements, and have a 3.8 or higher cumulative grade point average across all attempted college coursework will be admitted into the Business major.*

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#### PLEASE NOTE

- Only one gateway or performance review course may be repeated to earn the required grade and that course may only be repeated once.
- When more than one course can satisfy a gateway requirement, taking a second course from the list will count as a repeat.
- Students who are directly admitted and fail to meet the performance review criteria will be dismissed from the major and may not reapply.
- Application for BMGT at Shady Grove and College Park constitute separate program locations.
- Students must maintain a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.00. Failure to do so will result in dismissal from the major.
- Any student denied admission or dismissed from the major may appeal to the Associate Dean of the College.