Why Study Management Information Systems?

Students in Management Information Systems (MIS) train for and participate in the revolution in information technology that is changing business, personal behavior and social behavior throughout society. Coursework provides opportunities to gain expertise in technology innovation, business intelligence, web application development, data security, project management, systems analysis and design, and the business analyst communication role connecting technical MIS personnel with functional area professionals. Upon graduation, undergraduates have accepted positions at industry leaders such as Apple, Google, Hewlett-Packard, National Instruments, Pricewaterhouse-Coopers, Sungard, USAA and many others.

Why Study in the College of Business at Texas Tech?

Whether your goal is Wall Street, non-profit management, or something in between, you'll get the experience you need to succeed at Texas Tech University's Jerry S. Rawls College of Business Administration. Our student centered faculty and fully accredited programs give you the strong foundation all business students need. Traditional programs in accounting, finance, marketing, and management ensure you're up to the challenges you'll meet every day. Our specialized programs in international business, management information systems, and energy commerce plus our dual programs with architecture, agriculture, foreign languages, law, medicine, and environmental toxicology can put you at the forefront of new opportunities.

A Wealth of Opportunities Await

- **Study Abroad**
  The Jerry S. Rawls College of Business Administration created the International Business Education Resource Center to assist business students to explore, dream, and discover themselves and the world through studying abroad. The main goal of the IB Center is to facilitate student success by developing job skills and life skills through International experience giving them a competitive edge in the growing job market. The sooner students contact the center the better. Visit them in the Business Administration building in room 172 or online at www.ib.ba.ttu.edu/

  Study abroad scholarships are available to students who apply. From competitive scholarships worth up to $2,000 for semester programs to general scholarships based on need up to $5,000 for undergraduates, scholarships can keep your study abroad experience in your budget.

  For more information and how to apply, visit https://ttu-sa.terradotta.com

- **Graduate Education**
  Students in the M.S. in Data Science program learn cutting-edge business analytics tools and processes that enable them to contribute immediately to companies' big data, business intelligence and business analytics needs. Ph.D. students receive world-class research training through their coursework. Recent Ph.D. graduates have taken jobs at universities such as Cleveland State University, University of Montana, University of Portland, University of Rhode Island, and Rochester Institute of Technology.

- **Center for Advanced Analytics and Business Intelligence (CAABI)**

  CAABI provides students with the ability to leverage information in databases and data warehouses for improved knowledge discovery and decision making in areas such as customer relationship management, forecasting, fraud and waste detection, market segmentation, web traffic and e-commerce analysis, automated data and text mining, real-time targeted advertising and marketing, bioinformatics, medical informatics and genomics. For more information, visit: http://www.depts.ttu.edu/rawlsbusiness/about/isqs/

- **Rawls Organizations**

  Get involved on campus with one of the Rawls many student organizations, professional and service affiliated.
  - Alpha Kappa Psi Business Fraternity
  - Beta Gamma Sigma
  - Delta Sigma Pi Business Fraternity
  - Phi Sigma Beta Service Organization
  - Multicultural Student Business Association, and more!
  Visit the sites for all at: http://www.depts.ttu.edu/rawlsbusiness/about/studentorgs

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Texas Common Course Number System (TCCNS)

The Texas Common Course Numbering System (TCCNS) aids students in the transfer of general academic courses between Texas public colleges and universities throughout the state. Course recommendations in this transfer guide are expressed in TCCNS designations.

Applying Transfer Hours to a Four-year Degree

- The Transfer Evaluation Office in the Office of the Registrar at Texas Tech determines which courses taken at another institution may be accepted for credit.

- A maximum of 66 semester credit hours from two-year institutions may be applied toward the baccalaureate degree at four-year institutions. Although, all credit hours presented on the sending institution’s transcripts will be evaluated and equivalent college level courses posted to the student’s academic record.

- The academic associate dean of the Texas Tech college in which a student enrolls has authority for determining which courses will be applied toward the specific degree program chosen.

- Students must earn a grade of C or better for all courses fulfilling requirements in majors, minors, or specialization’s.

For more information on transfer course equivalencies, access the Texas Tech Transfer Equivalency Guidebooks:

https://www.depts.ttu.edu/registrar/private/transfer/

Steps to Apply:

- **Admission Requirements**
  Application from applytexas.org

  $60 application fee or fee waiver (student must provide information supporting fee waiver; for more specifics on what qualifies for waiver, visit the admissions site here: http://www.admissions.ttu.edu/index.php/application-fee/)

  Official college transcripts from ALL previous colleges attended*

  *Student must submit an official high school and ACT/SAT scores if you have completed less than 12 transferrable hours

  Transcripts may be sent by mail to:
  Undergraduate Admissions
  Box 45005
  Lubbock TX 79409

  Electronic transcripts may be sent directly to TTU Admissions via document exchange from the sending institution (contact institution for more details)

- **Transfer Admissions Counselors:**
  Zach Fisher — West Texas Transfer Admissions Counselor.
  Office Location:
  Undergraduate Admissions, West Hall
  Lubbock, TX
  Phone: 806.834.2104
  Email: zach.fisher@ttu.edu

  Maryellen Baeza — Manager of Transfer Recruitment
  Office Location:
  Undergraduate Admissions, West Hall
  Lubbock, TX
  Phone: 806.742.1480
  Email: Maryellen.baeza@ttu.edu

Assured Admissions:

If you present the required combination of transferrable hours and GPA (as described below), you will meet assured admissions. GPA is cumulative for all transferrable coursework from all schools attended. Courses taken for grade replacement are used for GPA calculation only if the same course is repeated at the same institution where it was originally taken.

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Admission Review

If you do not meet assured admission requirements but have at least a 2.00 cumulative GPA, an admissions committee will evaluate your potential based on other criteria:

- **Academics** — Types of courses taken and pattern of progress, as well as coursework taken leading toward a major

- **Student-submitted essay** — Explanation of the decision to transfer to Texas Tech, reasons for past academic performance and plans to ensure future academic success

- **Extracurricular activities/employment information** — Leadership and work experience, special talents or awards, or any other information relevant to the admission decision

For more information, visit the admissions website: http://www.admissions.ttu.edu/