Internal Transfer Requirements

General Information

The Pamplin College of Business offers a B.S. in Business within the following majors:

- Accounting & Information Systems (ACIS)
- Business Information Technology (BIT)
- Finance (FIN)
- Hospitality & Tourism Management (HTM)
- Management (MGT)
- Marketing Management (MKTG)

ACIS, BIT, FIN, HTM, MGT, and MKTG are restricted majors that accept internal transfer students during a two week online application and competitive review process. Applications are reviewed three times a year: August, January, and May. The online application is available only during the specified times through HokieSpa (primary major change) and through http://www.apps.pamplin.vt.edu/com/ (secondary major change).

Please note that while Real Estate (REAL) is administratively housed in Pamplin, it does not result in a B.S. in Business degree and is considered a non-restricted major. Real Estate students are subject to the internal transfer requirements listed below to change into or add a restricted business major. All internal transfer students accepted into Pamplin, regardless of major, must reapply and be deemed competitive to change their business major in Pamplin or add a secondary business major in Pamplin.

Pamplin offers Non-Major Information Sessions during the fall and spring semesters to answer students’ questions regarding the application process. After attending a Non-Major Information Session, students are assigned a Pamplin advisor to assist with additional questions and planning.

Minimum Requirements for Restricted Majors (ACIS, BIT, FIN, HTM, MGT, MKTG)

1. Successful completion of ACIS 1504, ECON 2005, MATH 1524, and MGT 1104 with grades of C- or better in each course (at least two of these courses must be taken at Virginia Tech).

2. A minimum in-major GPA of 2.5 in ACIS 1504, ECON 2005, MATH 1524, and MGT 1104.

3. A minimum overall GPA of 2.0.

Acceptance is based upon competitive in-major and overall GPA as well as space availability.

Enrollment Information Regarding Courses Required for Application

1. ACIS 1504, MATH 1524, and MGT 1104 are typically not open to non-Pamplin students in fall semesters.

2. ACIS 2115, ACIS 2116, BIT 2405, BIT 2406, and ECON 2006 are not required to apply, but if taken, will count in the in-major and overall GPA for application and must also be completed with grades of C- or better in each course.