

## Accelerated Degree Programs

Accelerated Programs allow academically qualified students to complete an undergraduate Bachelor's degree and a graduate degree (typically master's degree) on an accelerated timeline, graduating sooner than in traditional programs. Typically students will complete a portion of the required graduate coursework while classified as an undergraduate student and have it count towards both degrees. As soon as the student completes the undergraduate degree requirements, the student is converted to graduate status, where the remaining graduate requirements are fulfilled.

Students must submit an *Accelerated Program Application* for acceptance into an Accelerated Program track. Once a student is ready to move into graduate student status, the Progression Form must be completed and submitted. More information and the Application and Progression Forms are available online at: <http://www.grad.usf.edu/accelerated.php>

For specific degree requirements, refer to the corresponding program section of the Graduate Catalog.

UNDERGRADUATE College / Major		GRADUATE College / Program / Concentration		Program Information	Grad Major/ Conc Code	GRAD CIP Code	Total Minimum Program Hours Post-Bacc	Hours Shared
AS	Biology (BS)	AS	Biology: CMMB (MS) INACTIVE – not available	5 Year Program 3 plus 2 – awards simultaneous degrees	BIO (MBG)	26.0101	30	12
AS	Chemistry (BA)	AS	Chemistry (MA) INACTIVE – not available	5 Year Program 3 plus 2 – awards simultaneous degrees	CHA	40.0501	30	12
AS	Economics (BA)	AS	Economics (MA) – non-thesis option only	Accelerated Program	ECO	45.0601	30	9
AS	English (BA)	AS	English (MA)	Accelerated Program	ENG	23.0101	33	12
AS	Environmental Biology (BS)	ED	Science Education (MAT)	Accelerated Program	TSC	13.1316	39	12
AS	Environmental Microbiology (BS)	ED	Science Education (MAT)	Accelerated Program	TSC	13.1316	39	12
AS	Integrative Biology (BS)	ED	Science Education (MAT)	Accelerated Program	TSC	13.1316	39	12
AS	Marine Biology (BS)	ED	Science Education (MAT)	Accelerated Program	TSC	13.1316	39	12
AS	Physics (BA)	ED	Science Education (MAT)	Accelerated Program	TSC	13.1316	39	12
BA	Advertising (BS)	AS	Mass Communications: Strategic Communication Management Conc. (MA)	4 plus 1 BS/MA Degrees conferred sequentially. BS is conferred upon completion of 120 hours, following 4 <sup>th</sup> year of study.	COM	09.0102	42 <sup>9</sup>	12
AS	Mathematics (BA)	AS	Mathematics (MA)	5 Year Program 3 plus 2 – awards simultaneous degrees	MTH	27.0101	30	
AS	Microbiology (BS)	AS	Microbiology (MS)	5 Year Program 3 plus 2 accelerates to MS	MIC	26.0503	30	12
AS	Religious Studies (BA)	AS	Religious Studies (MA)	5 Year Program	REL	38.0201	36	12
Honors	Business (General Studies with a Concentration in Business) - 120	BA	Business (MBA)	5 Year Program	BUS	52.0201	32	

<sup>9</sup> 42 hours required for the Mass Comm: Strategic Communication Management Concentration. All other options only require 39 hours

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AS	Arts and Sciences (BA/BS)	BA	Business (MBA) INACTIVE – not available	5 Year Program. 3 plus 2 may be mapped to most UG departments in AS and awards a BA or BS & MBA simultaneously	BUS	52.0201	32	
BA	Management Information Systems (BS)	BA	Management Information Systems (MS)		MIF	52.1201	33	12
BC	Rehabilitation and Mental Health Counseling (BA)	BC	Rehabilitation and Mental Health Counseling (MA)	5 Year Program 3 plus 2 accelerates to the MA	REF	51.2310	60	
BC	Speech–Pathology (BS)	BC	Speech-Language Pathology (MS) INACTIVE – not available	5 Year Program plus 2 accelerates to the MS	SPP	51.0204	62	
ED	Special Education, Varying Exceptionalities	ED	Exceptional Student Education (MAT) INACTIVE – not available	5 Year Program 3 plus 2 – awards simultaneous degrees	TVE	13.1001	36	
AS	Biomedical Sciences (BS)	ED	Science Education (MAT) - <b>NEW</b>	5 year program	TSC	13.1316	39	12
AS	Chemistry (BS)	ED	Science Education (MAT) - <b>NEW</b>	5 year program	TSC	13.1316	39	12
AS	Interdisciplinary Natural Science (BS)	ED	Science Education (MAT) - <b>NEW</b>	5 year program	TSC	13.1316	39	12
EN	Engineering (BS)	EN	Engineering Science (ME, MSES)	5 Year Program 3 plus 2 may be mapped to any Engineering department and the Bachelor’s degree may be awarded once degree requirements completed	EGC	14.0101	30	12
FA	Architecture (M.Arc)	FA	Architecture (M.Arc)	6 Year Program 2 plus 4 accelerated to the M.Arc. degree	ARC	04.0201	105 <sup>10</sup>	
Honors College	Honors College (BA)	MD	Medicine (MD)	7 Year Program - Medicine has an accelerated program agreement with the Honors College. The BA is awarded after the 4 <sup>th</sup> year then the student accelerates to the 2 <sup>nd</sup> year as a medical student.	MED	51.1201	---	
Honors	Honors College (BA)	MD	Physical Therapy (DPT) INACTIVE – not available	6 Year Program	MPT	51.2308	101	
NR	Nursing (BS) Nursing (BS) RN to BS 120 2 <sup>nd</sup> BS seq 120 Upper div seq 120 Also Associates to Master’s available	NR	Nursing (MS)	5 Year Program UG with an AS in nursing progressing toward the MS in nursing – BS/MS simultaneous degrees	NAS	51.3801	37	

<sup>10</sup> 51 hours required for students with four-year pre-professional degrees

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AS	Environmental Science and Policy (BS)	PH	Public Health (MPH/MSPH) INACTIVE – not available	3 plus 2 BS and MPH or MSPH	MPH MSP	51.2201 51.2299	42 <sup>11</sup>	
PH	Public Health (BS)	PH	Public Health (MPH/MSPH) INACTIVE – not available	5 Year Program - Concentrations in Public Health Education admits UG students at 90 hours, PHC, and accelerates to the master degree	MPH MSP	51.2201 51.2299	42 <sup>12</sup>	

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