## BACHELOR OF SCIENCE WITH A MAJOR IN APPLIED MATHEMATICS AND STATISTICS

### Applied Mathematics And Statistics -Mission Statement:

The Bryant Applied Mathematics and Statistics program is designed to prepare students for success in an analytics position, particularly a position in the fields of applied statistics or applied analysis. Our student-centered curriculum promotes academic excellence with a rigorous course study that emphasizes critical thinking, problem solving, statistical analysis skills, knowledge of computer statistical software packages, and strong business acumen.

## MAJOR IN APPLIED MATHEMATICS AND STATISTICS OBJECTIVES

Students who complete the Applied Mathematics and Statistics program will:

- · Demonstrate a mastery of multivariate statistics and data mining.
- · Demonstrate competence in relevant statistical software.
- Demonstrate effective statistical consulting skills (problem solving, oral and written presentations).

The Bachelor of Science in Applied Mathematics and Statistics requires 10 courses of in-depth study in the field of mathematics, to complement the business and liberal arts core courses. The program provides students with the reasoning and problem-solving skills necessary to be successful in an array of industries. Mathematics and statistics are part of daily life, but they are also the foundation for a wide range of careers. Whether you want to analyze marketing data, set up the experimental design for clinical trials of a new drug, or work in government, the Bachelor of Science in Applied Mathematics and Statistics provides students a range of skills and broad knowledge required to solve realworld problems through the application of mathematical principles.

# APPLIED MATHEMATICS AND STATISTICS LEARNING GOALS:

The Applied Mathematics and Statistics program prepares students for success in an analytics position, particularly a position in the fields of applied statistics or applied analytics by promoting the following learning goals:

- Coursework that prepares students with a strong foundation in theoretical calculus and statistics
- Coursework that allows the students a wide range of applied mathematical courses along with applied statistical courses
- Coursework that allows the student to study advanced statistical topics and complete the SAS Certification program
- Coursework that emphasizes strong computer skills for business applications.

• Students who major in Applied Mathematics and Statistics may also earn SAS-Bryant University Academic Specialization in Data Mining certification. Four courses are required for the certification:

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### Bachelor of Science with an Applied Mathematics and Statistics Major Requirements:

General Education Requirements **\*\* Applied Mathematics and Statistics** Majors will take Math 121 instead of Math 110 and AM 230 instead of Math 201 to meet the General Education requirements.

University Minor Requirements

#### Applied Mathematics and Statistics Major Requirements:

<b>Required</b> Cours	es:	
MATH 226	Linear Algebra	3
AM 230	Actuarial Statistics I ((Course can be used in place of MATH 201 in Gen Ed))	3
AM 231	Actuarial Statistics II	3
AM 332	Actuarial Statistics III	3
MATH 460	Applied Data Mining	3
MATH 461	Applied Multivariate Statistics	3
Programming E	lective (2 of the following):	
MATH 354	Software Application for Mathematics	3
MATH 421	Statistical Analysis With R	3
MATH 455	SAS Programming and Applied Statistics	3
ISA 330	Programming for Data Science	3
Advanced Elect	ives (3 of the following):	
MATH 228	Discrete Structures	3
MATH 409	Elementary Number Theory	3
MATH 470	Statistical Design and Analysis of Experiments	3
MATH 475	Applied Analytics Using SAS	3
MATH 488	Sports Statistics	3
MATH 490	Applied Mathematics and Statistics Capstone Seminar	3
MATH 497	Directed Study in Mathematics	3
At most only	1 of the following Advanced Electives:	
ECO 315	Econometrics	3
ECO 440	Machine Learning Applied to Economics	3
FIN 466	Data Analysis for Finance	3

A minimum of 33 credit hours is required for the major.

A minimum 122 credit hours required for graduation.

- <sup>1</sup> Students who choose MATH 455, MATH 460, MATH 461, and either MATH 475 or MATH 470 may earn SAS<sup>®</sup> certification in data mining. To earn certification, a student must achieve at least a 'B' average in all of these courses with no grade lower than a 'C' in any one course.
- <sup>2</sup> Include one Lab Science. One science course must be taken at the 300 or 400 level.