

This degree requires a minimum of 120 credit hours to graduate (at least 36 credit hours must be upper-division, 300 or 400-level) and a cumulative GPA of 2.0. A minimum of 30 credit hours must be earned at Park.

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Catalog AY 17-18

MAJOR MAP

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN INFORMATION SYSTEMS

Purpose Statement: This degree prepares students for careers in programming, product analysis, and management of computer information systems; the degree allows students the freedom and flexibility to select a minor (such as business, GIS, graphic design, leadership, or statistics) to complement their studies in information systems.

	Credit Hours	
University Graduation Requirements – BS		
LE 100 First-Year Seminar (first-time freshman only; waived for transfer students)	3	
EN 306 Professional Writing in the Disciplines, or departmental equivalent (prerequisites: EN105, EN106)	3	
University Liberal Education Requirements		
EN 105 First-Year Writing Seminar I	3	
EN 106 First-Year Writing Seminar II (Prerequisites: EN 105 or equivalent)	3	
CS 140 Introduction to Computers, or higher CS course, or departmental equivalent (will be satisfied in core)	*	
MA 120 Basic Concepts of Statistics, MA 135 College Algebra, or higher MA course (will be satisfied in core)	*	
Communication requirement (CA 103 Oral Communication, CA 105 Introduction to Human Communication, or TH 105 Oral Communication)	3	
Citizenship requirement	3	
Ethics requirement	3	
Science course that has a lab	4	
LE Natural and Physical Science Elective (except computer science)	3	
LE Social Science Elective	3	
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LE Arts & Humanities Elective	3	
Art or English course that is designated as an LE Arts & Humanities Elective	3	
LE 300 Seminar in Integrative and Interdisciplinary Learning	3	
Requirements for the Major	33	
CS 151 Introduction to Programming or CS 152 Introduction to Python Programming	3	
CS 208 Discrete Mathematics		
CS 240 Web Programming I	3	
CS 300 Technology in a Global Society		
CS 365 Computer Networking	3	
IS 205 Managing Information Systems	3	
IS 315 Computer Systems Analysis and Design I	3	
IS 316 Computer Systems Analysis and Design II	3	
IS 361 Data Management Concepts	3	
IS 370 Information Security	3	
MA 120 Basic Concepts of Statistics	3	
Required Minor – Students must select a complementary minor of their choice (students may select any minor, except the Information and Computer Science minor). Suggested minors include: Business Administration/Management, Business Administration/Health Care, Geographic Information Systems (GIS), Graphic Design, Leadership, Organizational	18-21	

This guide is not a substitute for academic advisement.

Communication, Statistics	
TOTALS	120

Recommended Schedule

First Year – Fall	First Year – Spring
CS151 or CS152	CS208
MA120	IS205
MA125*	EN106
LE100	Pick 1 LE course.
EN105	Pick 1 minor course.
* Take Park's math placement test ASAP to know	
whether you should start with MA125 or MA135.	
Second Year – Fall	Second Year – Spring
CS240	IS205
CS300	EN306
Pick 2 LE courses.	Pick 1 LE course.
Pick 1 minor course.	Pick 2 minor courses.
Third Year – Fall	Third Year – Spring
CS365	IS316
IS315	IS370
IS361	Pick 1 or 2 minor courses.
Pick 1 LE course.	Pick 1 course from the Communication, Citizenship,
Pick 1 minor course.	and Ethics category.
	Pick 1 course outside of the major.
Fourth Year – Fall	Fourth Year – Spring
LE300	IS370
Pick 1 science course that has a lab.	Pick 3 or 4 courses outside of the major.
Pick 2 courses from the Communication, Citizenship,	
and Ethics categories.	
Pick 1 course outside of the major.	

Prerequisite Tree



B.S. in Information Systems



