

# AGRIBUSINESS

Be a Professional Agriculturalist & Consultant in Management, Analysis & Marketing

## Why Agribusiness?

The average age of American farmers is over 65. Farms aren't small family operations anymore. Agriculture was over 300 billion dollars in the US last year with a \$900 billion Ag bill pass by Congress. Technology is driving a fast advancing world of crops and animals. Food is a necessity and agriculture is big business. But the field wants professionals who cannot only understand business, numbers and advertising but also who can speak details of the industry. Farms are looking for managers, feed and supply chain business are looking for sales professionals and research facilities are looking for industry knowledge. They each manage big budgets and demand professionals with a degree.

Our program in Agribusiness has the best of all worlds. We expect a small core competency from agriculture related classes. We then build in five business classes for your business edge. Then we leave as much room as possible for electives so that you can choose your own expertise. Will it be animals, plants, crops, dairy, landscape...? The choice is yours. Additionally, many want to start graduate work as soon as they finish. The five business classes we expect are the same 5 that are pre-requisites in the Andrews MBA program. That program can be taken on campus or on-line while you begin your experience in a job. Placement demand is high; we can't graduate students fast enough. Come be part of the frenzy.



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### Core Requirement Examples

Soil Science  
Plant Science  
Project in Agricultural Research  
Topics in Environmental Studies  
Management of Agriculture Enterprises

### Elective Examples

Business Law  
Business Finance  
Principles of Accounting I & II  
Principles of Microeconomics  
Management and Organization

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