COMBINATION DEGREES

The Combination Degree program allows undergraduate students who qualify academically to obtain both a bachelor's and master's degree. Minimum qualifications for many programs include a 3.2 GPA and a competitive GRE score for admission to graduate school.

Combination degree programs allow students to get a head start on their graduate education by taking graduate courses throughout the junior and senior undergraduate years. In most programs, 12 credit hours of graduate work will also count toward an undergraduate degree, thus reducing the time it takes to get both degrees. Students should consult their department advisors to determine whether the department offers combination degree programs and whether they qualify.

There are a number of financial considerations to keep in mind. Students are responsible for paying the difference between undergraduate and graduate tuitions. Florida Prepaid College Tuition Program participants will receive funding for the first 120 credit hours. The program will fund graduate courses taken toward the undergraduate degree at the undergraduate level. Financial aid may be available to assist with the graduate degree portion of the program.

Advantages

- Combination degrees allow students to double count graduate credits toward their bachelor's degree at no loss of integrity or quality of either degree.
- Qualified students can obtain an undergraduate and a graduate degree in much less time than two separate degrees.
- The cost of both degrees is reduced, since at least 12 credits apply toward both degrees.
- Students have time to decide whether to pursue further graduate or professional study.
- A student's marketability is greatly enhanced; many professions now require a master's degree for entry-level positions.

Combination Degrees by College

Accounting, Fisher School of Accounting | 3/2 MAcc/BSAc

Non-thesis only
This is an integrated, five-year, 150-hour program that leads to the joint award of a Bachelor of Science in Accounting and a Master of Accounting. Students may pursue a general accounting curriculum, or select an auditing or taxation concentration. This program is for students seeking a professional accounting career. Completion fulfills the state's requirements to take the CPA examination to practice in Florida.

Admission Criteria
Contact: 352.273.0200 | Email (FSOA@warrington.ufl.edu)
More Info (https://warrington.ufl.edu/3-2-bsac-macc/)

Agricultural and Life Sciences, College of Agriculture and Life Sciences and Communication | BS/MS

Admission Criteria: Competitive GRE score; 3.2 GPA
Contact: Email (nstedman@ufl.edu)
More Info (http://aec.ifas.ufl.edu/undergraduate/)

Agricultural Operations Management | BS/MS

Overlapping Credits: 12
Admission Criteria: Competitive GRE score; 3.3 GPA

Contact: 352.392.1864 ext. 116 | Email (rsnyder@ufl.edu)

Animal Sciences | BS/MS

Admission Criteria: Competitive GRE score; junior or senior status; 3.2 GPA
Contact: 352.392.7527 | Email (raluca@ufl.edu)
More Info (http://www.animal.ufl.edu/teaching/index/teaching.shtml)

Biology/Biochemistry and Molecular Biology | BS/MS

Overlapping Credits: 12

Students must identify a College of Medicine faculty member who will serve as their graduate faculty advisor. A written agreement must be approved by both the Undergraduate Coordinator in the Department of Biology and the Graduate Coordinator in the College of Medicine. To count toward the MS degree, courses must be graduate level and letter-graded.

Admission Criteria: 3.2 cumulative GPA, 3.3 upper division GPA, completion of all critical-tracking requirements in the Biology B.S. degree, completion of at least three semester hours of mentored research (e.g., through BSC 4910 and BSC 4912) or equivalent research experience, and completion of BCH4024 (or equivalent).
Contact: 352.392.1521 | Email (http://catalog.ufl.edu/MAILTO:bioadvising@advising.ufl.edu)
More Info (https://biology.ufl.edu/undergraduates/undergraduate-combined-degree-program-offerings/)

Biology/Botany | BS/MS

Overlapping Credits: 12

Students must identify a Department of Biology faculty member who will serve as their graduate faculty advisor. A written agreement must be approved by both the Undergraduate Coordinator and Graduate Coordinator in the Department of Biology. To count toward the MS degree, courses must be graduate level and letter-graded.

Admission Criteria: 3.2 cumulative GPA, 3.3 upper division GPA, completion of all critical-tracking requirements in the Biology B.S. degree, and completion of at least three semester hours of mentored research (e.g., through BSC 4910 and BSC 4912) or equivalent research experience.
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More Info (https://biology.ufl.edu/undergraduates/undergraduate-combined-degree-program-offerings/)

Biology/Medical Sciences | BS/MS

Overlapping Credits: 12

Students must identify a College of Medicine faculty member who will serve as their graduate faculty advisor. A written agreement must be approved by both the Undergraduate Coordinator and Graduate Coordinator in the Department of Biology and the Graduate Coordinator in the College of Medicine. To count toward the MS degree, courses must be graduate level and letter-graded.

Admission Criteria: 3.2 cumulative GPA, 3.3 upper division GPA, completion of all critical-tracking requirements in the Biology B.S. degree, completion of at least three semester hours of mentored research (e.g., through BSC 4910 and BSC 4912) or equivalent research experience, and completion of BCH4024 (or equivalent) for the Genetics Track or Microbiology Track.
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More info (https://biology.ufl.edu/undergraduates/undergraduate-combined-degree-program-offerings/)

**Biology/Zoology | BS/MS**

**Overlapping Credits:** 12

Students must identify a Department of Biology faculty member who will serve as their graduate faculty advisor. A written agreement must be approved by both the Undergraduate Coordinator and Graduate Coordinator in the Department of Biology. To count toward the MS degree, courses must be graduate level and letter-graded.

**Admission Criteria:**
- 3.2 cumulative GPA, 3.3 upper division GPA, completion of all critical-tracking requirements in the Biology B.S. degree, and completion of at least three semester hours of mentored research (e.g., through BSC 4910 and BSC 4912) or equivalent research experience.

**Contact:** 352.392.1521 | Email (http://catalog.ufl.edu/MAILTO:bioadvising@advising.ufl.edu)

More info (https://biology.ufl.edu/undergraduates/undergraduate-combined-degree-program-offerings/)

**Entomology and Nematology | BS/MS**

**Overlapping Credits:** 12

**Admission Criteria:** Competitive GRE score; 3.5 GPA

**Contact:** 352.273.3913 | Email (hjmca@ufl.edu) or 352.273.3974 | Email (baldwin@ufl.edu)

More info (http://entnemdept.ufl.edu/academics/About_Us.html)

**Family, Youth and Community Sciences | BS/MS and BS/MFYCS**

**Overlapping Credits:** 12

**Admission Criteria:** Competitive GRE score; 3.2 GPA

**Contact:** 352.273.3514 | Email (ghenderschiedt@ufl.edu)

More info (http://fycs.ifas.ufl.edu/)

**Fisheries and Aquatic Sciences | BS/MS or MFAS**

**BS Degree in Another Discipline**

**Overlapping Credits:** 12

Students must find a Fisheries and Aquatic Sciences faculty member to serve as their graduate faculty advisor. A written agreement must be approved by both the undergraduate and future graduate academic advisor. To count for the MS or MFAS degree, FAS courses must be taken at the graduate level.

**Admission Criteria:**
- Competitive GRE score; 3.2 GPA on all upper-division courses

**Contact:** Email (jpreston@ufl.edu)

More info (http://sfrc.ufl.edu/fish/degreeprograms/graduate/)

**Food and Resource Economics | BS/MS**

**Overlapping Credits:** up to 15 credit hours. Specific courses will be determined by the undergraduate and graduate program offices.

**Admission Criteria:** Competitive GRE score; 3.2 GPA

**Contact:** Email (jherman@ufl.edu)

More info (http://www.fred.ifas.ufl.edu/graduate/)

**Forest Resources and Conservation | BSFRC/MFRC or MS**

**Overlapping Credits:** 12

Students must find a Forest Resources & Conservation faculty member to serve as their graduate faculty advisor. A written agreement must be approved by both the undergraduate and future graduate academic advisors. To count for the MS or MFRC degree, FOR/FNR courses must be taken at the graduate level.

**Admission Criteria:** Competitive GRE score; 3.0 GPA

**Contact:** 352.284.0847 | Email (khaselier@ufl.edu)

More info (http://www.sfrc.ufl.edu/gradprograms.html)

**Geomatics | BS/MFRC or MS**

**Overlapping Credits:** 12

Students must find a Geomatics faculty member to serve as their graduate faculty advisor. A written agreement must be approved by both the undergraduate and future graduate academic advisor. To count for the MS or MFRC degree, GIS/SUR courses must be taken at the graduate level.

**Admission Criteria:** Competitive GRE score; 3.0 GPA

**Contact:** 352.846.0847 | Email (khaselier@ufl.edu)

More info (http://sfrc.ufl.edu/geomatics/degreeprograms/graduate/)

**Horticultural Sciences | BS/MS**

**Overlapping Credits:** 12

Students must find a Horticultural Sciences faculty member to serve as their graduate faculty advisor. A written agreement must be approved by both the undergraduate and future graduate academic advisor. To count for the MS or MFAS degree, FAS courses must be taken at the graduate level.

**Admission Criteria:** Competitive GRE score; 3.2 GPA

**Contact:** 352.273.4847 | Email (brath@ufl.edu)

**Interdisciplinary Studies, Marine Sciences | BS/MFAS or MS**

**Overlapping Credits:** 12

Students must find a Fisheries and Aquatic Sciences faculty member to serve as their graduate faculty advisor. A written agreement must be approved by both the undergraduate and future graduate academic advisor. To count for the MS or MFAS degree, FAS courses must be taken at the graduate level.

**Admission Criteria:** Competitive GRE score; 3.2 GPA

**Contact:** 352.846.0847 | Email (khaselier@ufl.edu)

**Microbiology and Cell Science | 4/1 BS/MS**

**Overlapping Credits:** 12

The program is a 4/1 program because students may be awarded both a B.S. and an M.S. (non-thesis) within a five-year period. This program is offered by the College of Agricultural and Life Sciences, but students majoring in microbiology and cell science in the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences are also eligible.

**Admission Criteria:** Competitive GRE score; 3.2 GPA on all upper-division courses

**Contact:** Email (jpreston@ufl.edu)

More info (http://microcell.ufl.edu/)

**Natural Resource Conservation | BSFRC/MFRC, MFAS or MS**

**Overlapping Credits:** 12

Students must find a School of Forest Resources & Conservation faculty member to serve as their graduate faculty advisor. A written agreement must be approved by both the undergraduate and future graduate academic advisors. To count for the MS or MFRC degree, FOR/FNR courses must be taken at the graduate level.

**Admission Criteria:** Competitive GRE score; 3.0 GPA

**Contact:** 352.846.0847 | Email (khaselier@ufl.edu)

More info (http://sfrc.ufl.edu/academics/graduate/)

**Plant Science and Plant Pathology | BS/MS**

**Overlapping Credits:** 12

**Admission Criteria:** Competitive GRE score; 3.2 GPA

**Contact:** Email (jbjones@ufl.edu)

More info (http://plantpath.ifas.ufl.edu/)

**Soil and Water Science | BS/MS**

**Overlapping Credits:** 12

**Admission Criteria:** Competitive GRE score; 3.2 GPA

**Contact:** 352.392.1951 ext. 254 | Email (maxtep@ufl.edu)

More info (http://soils.ifas.ufl.edu/academics/degrees-combined.shtml/)
Wildlife Ecology and Conservation | BS/MS
Overlapping Credits: 12
Admission Criteria: Competitive GRE score; 3.2 GPA
Contact: 352.846.0633 | Email (ccwillla@ufl.edu)
More Info (http://wec.ufl.edu/undergrad/combo_degree.php)

Arts, College of the
BM in Music and MA in Arts in Medicine
Overlapping Credits: 12
Arts in Medicine is a diverse, multidisciplinary and rapidly expanding field dedicated to transforming health and the healthcare experience through the arts. Today, artists are working at approximately half of hospitals in the US, as well as in community programs that enhance health and well-being.

The Bachelor of Music and Master of Arts in Arts in Medicine Combination Program allows students to begin completing requirements towards a master’s degree (MA) in Arts in Medicine while completing their undergraduate degree (BM) in music. The degree is suitable for student who wish to explore the intersections between music and health or to pursue careers that integrate the two disciplines.

Admission Criteria: Completed GRE; 3.2 GPA on all upper-division courses
Contact: Email (camadmissions@arts.ufl.edu)
More Info (https://arts.ufl.edu/academics/center-for-arts-in-medicine/programs/arts-in-medicine/ways-to-study/)

BS Pre-Health and MA in Arts in Medicine
Overlapping Credits: 12
Arts in Medicine is a diverse, multidisciplinary and rapidly expanding field dedicated to transforming health and the healthcare experience through the arts. Today, artists are working at approximately half of hospitals in the US, as well as in community programs that enhance health and well-being.

The Bachelor of Science and Master of Arts in Arts in Medicine Combination Program allows pre-health students (majoring in Public Health, Biology, Microbiology, Chemistry or Psychology) to begin completing requirements towards a master’s degree (MA) in Arts in Medicine while completing their undergraduate degree (BS/BAS).

Admission Criteria: Completed GRE; 3.2 GPA on all upper-division courses
Contact: Email (camadmissions@arts.ufl.edu)
More Info (https://arts.ufl.edu/academics/center-for-arts-in-medicine/programs/arts-in-medicine/ways-to-study/)

Business, Warrington College of
Business Administration, Major in Entrepreneurship | MSE
Overlapping Credits: 2-10
Through a stimulating curriculum and transformational experiential learning opportunities, this one-year, intensive program equips promising entrepreneurs with the skills and savvy to plan, launch and sustain innovative ventures on their terms.

Admission Criteria: Adequate GMAT score; 3.2 minimum GPA
Contact: 352.273.0337 | Email (MSE@warrington.ufl.edu)
More Info (https://warrington.ufl.edu/undergraduate-academics/combined-degrees/)

Business Administration, Major in Management | MSM
Overlapping Credits: 2-12
This degree provides nonbusiness majors the opportunity to combine knowledge from other academic disciplines with functional business applications to create a dynamic skillset in demand by employers in business and nonbusiness industries.

Admission Criteria: Competitive GMAT or GRE score; 3.2 minimum GPA
Contact: 352.273.0344 | Email (jane.mcnulty@warrington.ufl.edu)
More Info (https://warrington.ufl.edu/undergraduate-academics/combined-degrees/)

Finance, Master of Science | MSF
Overlapping Credits: 2-12
Students have the opportunity to study finance at the second-year MBA level. Courses cover nearly all areas of finance, including derivative securities, fixed income markets, equity valuation, international finance and real estate finance. With early application students can receive their undergraduate and graduate degrees in four years. The best time to apply is two years before the undergraduate degree would be received.

Admission Criteria: 465 GMAT (650+ average); 3.0 GPA (3.5+ average)
Contact: 352.392.9249 | Email (kelly.herring@warrington.ufl.edu)
More Info (https://warrington.ufl.edu/undergraduate-academics/combined-degrees/)

Information Systems | BS/MS
Non-thesis only
Overlapping Credits: 12-16
This program develops the computing, quantitative and applications skills vital to a business problem-solving setting.

Admission Criteria: Competitive GMAT or GRE score; 3.0 GPA
Contact: 352.846.1370 | Email (chandra.hardy@warrington.ufl.edu)
More Info (https://warrington.ufl.edu/undergraduate-academics/combined-degrees/)

Master of International Business | MIB
Overlapping Credits: 2-12
This one-year degree allows UF business majors or minors to enhance their undergraduate business education with an in-depth study of global business issues and trends. The MIB program allows curriculum flexibility and incorporates practical global business components with a required one-week Global Immersion Experience course abroad and optional participation in an international exchange program.

Admission Criteria: Competitive GMAT or GRE score; 3.2 minimum GPA
Contact: 352.273.0343 | Email (mib@warrington.ufl.edu)
More Info (https://warrington.ufl.edu/undergraduate-academics/combined-degrees/)

Real Estate, Master of Science | MSRE
Non-thesis only
Overlapping Credits: 2-12
The MSRE thrives on innovation, a dynamic student body and significant interaction with high-level working professionals and nationally recognized professors. The program is a unique combination of theory and practice that will enhance the student’s commercial real estate education and develop professional skills. Undergraduate students from any college/major may apply. Prior coursework in accounting, business, economics, finance or statistics is preferred but not required.

Admission Criteria: 465 GMAT (600+ average); 3.0 GPA (3.4+ average).
Admission is based on a number of factors, including GMAT and academic record.
Contact: 352.273.0310 | Email (pam.demichele@warrington.ufl.edu)
More Info (https://warrington.ufl.edu/undergraduate-academics/combined-degrees/)

Construction Management, M.E. Rinker, Sr. School of Construction Management
Overlapping credit: 12
Admission Criteria: Competitive GRE score; 3.4 upper-division GPA; complete all 3000-level BCN courses
Contact: 352.273.1153 | Email (minch@ufl.edu)
Combination Degrees

More Info (http://www.bcn.ufl.edu/combined-degree-information/)

Design, Construction and Planning, College of Historic Preservation
Overlapping Credits: 15
Available to students in the Bachelor of Sustainability and the Built Environment program
Admission Criteria: Competitive GRE score; 3.2 GPA
Contact: 352.294.1438 | Email (mhyton@dcp.ufl.edu)
More Info (https://dcp.ufl.edu/interior/interior-design-combined-degree-curriculum/)

Landscape Architecture
Overlapping Credits: 9
Available to students in the Bachelor of Sustainability and the Built Environment program
Admission Criteria: Competitive GRE score; 3.2 GPA
Contact: 352.392.6098 | Email (guruch@ufl.edu)
More Info (http://www.dcp.ufl.edu/landscape/academics/)

Urban and Regional Planning
Overlapping Credits: 21 (9 of the 21 hours can be taken in the home department)
Admission Criteria: Competitive GRE score; 3.2 GPA
Contact: 352.392.0997 ext. 434 | Email (latimer@geoplan.ufl.edu)
More Info (https://dcp.ufl.edu/urp/academics/combined-degree-program/)

Engineering, College of

Aerospace Engineering | BSAE/ME or MS
Overlapping Credits: 6
Admission Criteria: Competitive GRE score; 3.3 GPA
Contact: 352.392.0963 | Email (bfc@ufl.edu)
More Info (http://www.mae.ufl.edu/current/undergraduate/4-1-bs-ms-program/)

Biological Engineering | BS/ME
Admission Criteria: 4EG; 3.30 GPA; completion of pre-engineering courses and 20 credits of the biological engineering core
Contact: 352.392.1864 ext. 116 | Email (rnsynder@ufl.edu)

Biomedical Engineering | BSMSE/MS or ME; BSABE/MS or ME; BSCHE/MS or ME; BSEE/MS or ME, BME/BME, BSBME/MS
Materials Science and Engineering, Biological Engineering, Chemical Engineering or Electrical Engineering
Overlapping Credits: 9-12
Admission Criteria: Competitive GRE scores acceptable to the BME department; 3.3 GPA
Contact: 352.273.8096 | Email (gs@bme.ufl.edu)

Chemical Engineering | BS/MS
Overlapping Credits: 12
Admission Criteria: Competitive GRE score; 3.3 upper division GPA, 3.2 GPA in chemical engineering courses; six ECH-prefix core courses
Contact: 352.392.0881 | Email (svoronos@ufl.edu)
More Info (http://www.eng.ufl.edu/students/resources/undergraduate-student-handbook/combined-degree/)

Civil Engineering | BS/ME or MS
Overlapping Credits: 9
Admission Criteria: Competitive GRE score; 3.3 upper-division GPA
Contact: 352.392.9537 | Email (rthie@ece.ufl.edu)
More Info (http://www.eng.ufl.edu/students/resources/undergraduate-student-handbook/combined-degree/)

Computer Engineering | BSCEN/ME or MS
Thesis or non-thesis
Overlapping Credits: 12
Admission Criteria: Junior status; Competitive GRE score; 3.3 GPA; completion of 3 of 4 core courses: CDA 3101; COP 3503 or COP 3504; COP 3530; COT 3100
Contact: CISE department, 405 Computer Science and Engineering | 352.392.1090
More Info (http://www.cise.ufl.edu/academics/undergrad/bsms/)

Digital Arts and Sciences | BS/MS
Overlapping Credits: 12
Admission Criteria: Junior status; Competitive GRE score; 3.3 GPA; a portfolio; 3.3 minimum GPA on 3 of 4 core courses: CDA 3101; COP 3503 or COP 3504; COP 3530; COT 3100
Contact: CISE Department, 405 Computer Science and Engineering | 352.392.1090
More Info (https://www.cise.ufl.edu/academics/undergrad/bsms/)

Electrical and Computer Engineering | BSEE/ME or MS
Overlapping Credits: 6-12
Admission Criteria: Competitive GRE score; 3.3 upper-division GPA
Contact: 352.392.7104 | Email (office@graduate.ece.ufl.edu)
More Info (http://www.ece.ufl.edu/content/bsms-program/)

Environmental Engineering | BS/ME
Overlapping Credits: 12
Admission Criteria: Competitive GRE score or passing score on the Fundamentals of Engineering exam; 3.30 GPA
Contact: 352.392.7104 | Email (bkoop@ufl.edu)
More Info (https://www.essie.ufl.edu/forms/)

Industrial and Systems Engineering | BSISE/ME, MS, MSM or MSF
Overlapping Credits: 10
Admission Criteria: Competitive GRE score; 3.5 upper-division GPA
Contact: 352.392.1464 ext. 2026 | Email (blunt@ise.ufl.edu)
More Info (http://www.ise.ufl.edu/current-students/undergraduate-students/bsms-or-bsme-ise-program/)

Materials Science and Engineering | BSMSE/MS or ME
Overlapping Credits: 12
Admission Criteria: Competitive GRE score used in the context of a holistic credential review; 3.5 GPA; 18 hours of EMA undergraduate coursework must be completed
Contact: 352.846.3312 | Email (mmcdc@mse.ufl.edu)
More Info (http://www.mse.ufl.edu/combined-bsms-in-biomedical-engineering/)

Mechanical Engineering | BSME/ME or MS
Overlapping Credits: 6
Admission Criteria: Competitive GRE score; 3.3 GPA
Contact: 352.392.0963 | Email (bfc@ufl.edu)
More Info (http://www.mae.ufl.edu/current/undergraduate/4-1-bs-ms-program/)

Nuclear and Radiological Engineering | BSNE/MS or ME
Overlapping Credits: 12

Thesis or non-thesis
Admission Criteria: Competitive GRE score; 3.6 GPA  
Contact: 352.846.3312 | Email (mmcdo@mse.ufl.edu)

Nuclear Engineering Science | BS/MA or MS  
Overlapping Credits: 12  
Admission Criteria: Competitive GRE score; 3.6 GPA  
Contact: 352.846.3312 | Email (mmcdo@mse.ufl.edu)

Health and Human Performance, College of  
Health Education and Behavior: BS/MS  
Non-thesis only  
Overlapping Credits: 12  
Admission Criteria: Competitive GRE score; 3.2 UF GPA  
Contact: 352.392.0583 ext. 1288 | Email (hmoses@hhp.ufl.edu)  
More Info (http://heb.hhp.ufl.edu/index.php/academia/undergraduate/combined-degree-programs/)

Sport Management | BSSPM/MSSPM  
Overlapping Credits: 12  
Admission Criteria: Competitive GRE score; 3.2 overall GPA with a 3.0 critical-tracking GPA; completion of EME 2040, MAR 3023, SPM 2000, SPM 3204 and MAN 3025 with minimum grades of B on first attempt  
Contact: 352.392.4042 | Email (TRSMGRAD@hhp.ufl.edu)  
More Info (http://trsm.hhp.ufl.edu/index.php/academia/undergraduate/41-combined-degree-program/sport-management/)

Tourism, Event and Recreation Management | BSRT/MSRT  
Overlapping Credits: 12  
Admission Criteria: Competitive GRE score; 3.2 GPA; completion of LEI 3140, LEI 3400, LEI 3705; 3 credit option-specific course (i.e., HFT 2750/LEI 3360/LEI 3301, etc.); 3 credit cognate course with a minimum grade of B on first attempt  
Contact: 352.392.4042 | Email (TRSMGRAD@hhp.ufl.edu)  
More Info (http://trsm.hhp.ufl.edu/index.php/academia/undergraduate/41-combined-degree-program/sport-management/)

Journalism and Mass Communication, College of  
Advertising | BS Advertising/MA Mass Communication  
Audience Analytics, Digital Strategy, Global Strategic Communication, Political Communication, Public Relations, Social Media or Web Design  
Overlapping Credits: 3-12  
UF CJC Online master’s specializations are founded in theory and influenced by industry. Offering unparalleled opportunities for growth and advancement, our programs feature the most comprehensive, digitally focused online graduate curriculum in the world. Equipped with portfolios featuring real-world projects, our students stand out from the crowd. Undergraduate students from any college/major may apply. Prior coursework in communications not required.

Admission Criteria: Competitive GRE score; 3.0 GPA  
Contact: 352.273.3412 | Email (distancesupport@jou.ufl.edu)  
More Info (http://onlinemasters.jou.ufl.edu/combined-degree-program/)

Public Relations | BS Public Relations/MA Mass Communication  
Audience Analytics, Digital Strategy, Global Strategic Communication, Political Communication, Public Relations, Social Media or Web Design  
Overlapping Credits: 3-12  
UF CJC Online master’s specializations are founded in theory and influenced by industry. Offering unparalleled opportunities for growth and advancement, our programs feature the most comprehensive, digitally focused online graduate curriculum in the world. Equipped with portfolios featuring real-world projects, our students stand out from the crowd. Undergraduate students from any college/major may apply. Prior coursework in communications not required.

Admission Criteria: Competitive GRE score; 3.0 GPA  
Contact: 352.273.3412 | Email (distancesupport@jou.ufl.edu)  
More Info (http://onlinemasters.jou.ufl.edu/combined-degree-program/)

Telecommunication | BS Telecommunication/MA Mass Communication  
Audience Analytics, Digital Strategy, Global Strategic Communication, Political Communication, Public Relations, Social Media or Web Design  
Overlapping Credits: 3-12  
UF CJC Online master’s specializations are founded in theory and influenced by industry. Offering unparalleled opportunities for growth and advancement, our programs feature the most comprehensive, digitally focused online graduate curriculum in the world. Equipped with portfolios featuring real-world projects, our students stand out from the crowd. Undergraduate students from any college/major may apply. Prior coursework in communications not required.

Admission Criteria: Competitive GRE score; 3.0 GPA  
Contact: 352.273.3412 | Email (distancesupport@jou.ufl.edu)  
More Info (http://onlinemasters.jou.ufl.edu/combined-degree-program/)

Liberal Arts and Sciences, College of  
Biology/Biochemistry and Molecular Biology | BS/MS  
Overlapping Credits: 12  
Students must identify a Department of Biology faculty member who will serve as their graduate faculty advisor. A written agreement must be approved by both the Undergraduate Coordinator in the Department of Biology and the Graduate Coordinator in the College of Medicine. To count toward the MS degree, courses much be graduate level and letter-graded.

Admission Criteria: 3.2 cumulative GPA, 3.3 upper division GPA, completion of all critical-tracking requirements in the Biology B.S. degree, completion of at least three semester hours of mentored research (e.g., through BSC 4910 and BSC 4912) or equivalent research experience, and completion of BCH4024 (or equivalent)  
Contact: 352.392.1521 | Email (hmoses@hhp.ufl.edu)  
More Info (https://biology.ufl.edu/undergraduates/undergraduate-combined-degree-program-offerings/)

Biological Sciences, College of  
Ecology and Evolutionary Biology | BS/MS  
Overlapping Credits: 12  
Students must identify a Department of Biology faculty member who will serve as their graduate faculty advisor. A written agreement must be approved by both the Undergraduate Coordinator and Graduate Coordinator in the Department of Biology. To count toward the MS degree, courses much be graduate level and letter-graded.
Admission Criteria: 3.2 cumulative GPA, 3.3 upper division GPA, completion of all critical-tracking requirements in the Biology B.S. degree, and completion of at least three semester hours of mentored research (e.g., through BSC 4910 and BSC 4912) or equivalent research experience.

Contact: 352.392.1521 | Email (http://catalog.ufl.eduMAILTO:bioadvising@advising.ufl.edu)
More info (https://biology.ufl.edu/undergraduates/undergraduate-combined-degree-program-offerings/)

Biology/Medical Sciences | BS/MS
Overlapping Credits: 12
Students must identify a College of Medicine faculty member who will serve as their graduate faculty advisor. A written agreement must be approved by both the Undergraduate Coordinator in the Department of Biology and the Graduate Coordinator in the College of Medicine. To count toward the MS degree, courses must be graduate level and letter-graded.

Admission Criteria: 3.2 cumulative GPA, 3.3 upper division GPA, completion of all critical-tracking requirements in the Biology B.S. degree, completion of at least three semester hours of mentored research (e.g. through BSC 4910 and BSC 4912) or equivalent research experience, and completion of BCH4024 (or equivalent) for the Genetics Track or Microbiology Track.

Contact: 352.392.1521 | Email (http://catalog.ufl.eduMAILTO:bioadvising@advising.ufl.edu)
More info (https://biology.ufl.edu/undergraduates/undergraduate-combined-degree-program-offerings/)

Biology/Zoology | BS/MS
Overlapping Credits: 12
Students must identify a Department of Biology faculty member who will serve as their graduate faculty advisor. A written agreement must be approved by both the Undergraduate Coordinator and Graduate Coordinator in the Department of Biology. To count toward the MS degree, courses must be graduate level and letter-graded.

Admission Criteria: 3.2 cumulative GPA, 3.3 upper division GPA, completion of all critical-tracking requirements in the Biology B.S. degree, completion of at least three semester hours of mentored research (e.g. through BSC 4910 and BSC 4912) or equivalent research experience.

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Botany | BS/MS
Thesis or non-thesis
Students must identify a Department of Biology faculty member who will serve as their graduate faculty advisor. A written agreement must be approved by both the Undergraduate Coordinator and Graduate Coordinator in the Department of Biology. To count toward the MS degree, courses must be graduate level and letter-graded.

Overlapping Credits: 12
Admission Criteria: 300 GRE; 3.2 GPA
Contact: 352.273.0126 | Email (BIOUC-L@lists.ufl.edu)
More info (https://biology.ufl.edu/undergraduates/undergraduate-combined-degree-program-offerings/)

Computer Science | BS/MS
Thesis or non-thesis
Overlapping Credits: 12
Joint program in the colleges of Engineering and Liberal Arts and Sciences, coordinated by the Department of Computer and Information Science and Engineering. Students may combine either the B.S. in Computer Science offered through the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences or the B.S. in Computer Science offered through the College of Engineering with the M.S. in Computer Science (LS).

Admission Criteria: Junior status; Competitive GRE score; 3.3 GPA; completion of 3 of the 4: CDA 3101, CIS 3503, COP 3530, COT 3100.
Contact: CISE department | 352.392.1090
More Info (https://www.cise.ufl.edu/academics/undergrad/bsms/)

Economics | BA/MA
This program complements undergraduate training in economics by providing more robust training with economic analysis and econometric methods. It is intended for students who wish to build strong quantitative reasoning skills and develop technical data analytic tools before pursuing a professional career. The graduate portion of this combined degree program should be viewed as a professional master’s in economics. This is not a Ph.D. preparatory program.

Overlapping Credits: 12
Admission Criteria: Competitive GRE score; 3.25 cumulative GPA; completion of 105 credits, 12 of which must be Economics courses (i.e., ECO, ECP, or ECS prefix) taken at UF. Students are encouraged to complete ECO 4421 or STA 4210 before beginning graduate coursework.
Contact: Email (thomas.knight@ufl.edu)

French | BA/MA
Overlapping Credits: 12
Admission Criteria: Admission Criteria and a timeline for applying can be found on the department’s website.
Contact: Email (blondeau@ufl.edu)
More Info (http://languages.ufl.edu/academics/ilc-languages/french-studies/)

Geography | BA or BS/MA or MS
Overlapping Credits: 12
Admission Criteria: Competitive GRE score; 3.2 GPA
Contact: Email (liangmao@ufl.edu)

Geology | BS or BA/MS or MA
Overlapping Credits: 12
Admission Criteria: Competitive GRE score; 3.2 GPA; 24 credits at UF; minimum 20 credits of geology courses with 3.5 GPA
Contact: 352.392.2766 or 352.392.2231 | Email (rrusso@ufl.edu)

History | BA/MA
Non-thesis only
Overlapping Credits: 8
Admission Criteria: Competitive GRE score; 3.25 GPA
Contact: 352.273.3387 | Email (edale@ufl.edu)
More Info (http://history.ufl.edu/undergraduate-studies/41-program/)

Latin American Studies | BA or BS (various fields) / MALAS
Overlapping Credits: 12
Admission Criteria: Competitive GRE score; 3.5 GPA; at least 12 credits of 3000-4000 level Latin American-content courses with at least 25% Latin American content (including at least one LAS 4935); intermediate proficiency in Spanish, Portuguese or Haitian Creole (as determined by a standardized exam, individual assessment by UF faculty or coursework: i.e., Spanish through SPN 2240, Portuguese through POR 3242 or Haitian Creole through HAI 2200)
Contact: 352.273.4708 | Email (spaulson@latam.ufl.edu)

Spanish | BA/MA
Overlapping Credits: 12
Admission Criteria: 12
Contact: 352.273.0126 | Email (BIOUC-L@lists.ufl.edu)
More info (https://biology.ufl.edu/undergraduates/undergraduate-combined-degree-program-offerings/)

HAI 2200
More info (https://biology.ufl.edu/undergraduates/undergraduate-combined-degree-program-offerings/)

French

Contact: Email (blondeau@ufl.edu)
More Info (http://languages.ufl.edu/academics/ilc-languages/french-studies/)

History

Contact: Email (edale@ufl.edu)
More Info (http://history.ufl.edu/undergraduate-studies/41-program/)

Latin American Studies

Contact: 352.273.4708 | Email (spaulson@latam.ufl.edu)

Mathematics | BS/MA or MS
Non-thesis only
Overlapping Credits: 12
Admission Criteria: Competitive GRE score; 3.5 GPA
Contact: 352.294.7459 | Email (pgolombek@ufl.edu)
More Info (http://www.math.ufl.edu/undergradprog/accelerate.html)

Philosophy | BA/MA
Overlapping Credits: 12
Admission Criteria: Competitive GRE score; 3.2 GPA; completion of 24 credits at UF, 12 of which must be political science courses
Contact: Email (undergrad.coord@phil.ufl.edu)
More Info (http://www.phil.ufl.edu/grad/grad-bama.html)

Physics | BS or BA/MS
Overlapping Credits: 12
Admission Criteria: Competitive GRE score; 140 verbal GRE; 600 Physics GRE; 3.5 upper-division GPA
Contact: 352.392.8952 | Email (amlan@phys.ufl.edu)
More Info (http://www.phys.ufl.edu/academics/undergraduate/degrees.shtml)

Political Science | BA/MA
Overlapping Credits: 12
Admission Criteria: Competitive GRE score; 3.7 GPA; completion of 24 credits at UF, 12 of which must be political science courses
Contact: 352.273.2368 | Email (rnolan@ufl.edu)
More Info (http://polisci.ufl.edu/graduate/ma-programs/jdma-joint-degree-program/)

Portuguese | BA Portuguese/MA Latin American Studies
Thesis or non-thesis
Overlapping Credits: 12
Admission Criteria: Competitive GRE score; 3.2 GPA
Contact: 352.392.2100 | Email (perrone@ufl.edu)
More Info (http://spanishandportuguese.ufl.edu/undergraduate-programs/)

Religion | BA/MA
Overlapping Credits: 12
Admission Criteria: Competitive GRE score; 3.0 GPA; letter of purpose
Contact: 352.392.1625 | Email (ostebo@ufl.edu)
More Info (http://religion.ufl.edu/undergraduate-studies/)

Russian | BA/MA
Thesis or non-thesis
Overlapping Credits: 12
Admission Criteria: Competitive GRE score; 3.2 GPA
Contact: Email (mgorham@ufl.edu)

Sociology | BA/MA
Overlapping Credits: 12
Admission Criteria: Competitive GRE score; 3.2 GPA
Contact: 352.294.7168 | Email (mborg@ufl.edu)

More Info (http://soccrim.clas.ufl.edu/undergraduate/sociology/academics/combined-bama-degree/)

Statistics | BA or BS/MStat
Non-thesis only
Overlapping Credits: 15
Admission Criteria: Competitive GRE score (minimum 1100); GPA: 3.25 or higher in all coursework (at least 24 hours at UF), and a GPA of 3.5 or higher in 4000-level statistics coursework (at least 12 hours at UF) and a 3.0 in graduate statistics coursework
Contact: 352.273.2972 | Email (athienit@ufl.edu)
More Info (https://stat.ufl.edu/academics/combined-degree-program/)

Women's Studies | BA/MA
Overlapping Credits: 12
Admission Criteria: Competitive GRE score; 3.2 GPA; complete WST 3015
Contact: 352.273.0389 | Email (kibroad@ufl.edu)

Natural Resources and Environment, School of Environmental Science and Interdisciplinary Ecology | BS/MS
Thesis or Non-thesis
Overlapping Credits: 15
Admission Criteria: Competitive GRE score; 3.3 GPA
Contact: 352.392.9230 | Email (frazer@ufl.edu)
More Info (http://snre.ifas.ufl.edu/academics/degrees-offered/combined-bachelors-and-masters/)

Public Health and Health Professions, College of Biostatistics | Bachelors/MS
Overlapping credits: 12
Qualified students with any undergraduate major can pursue a Master of Science degree in Biostatistics. The Master of Science degree in Biostatistics is designed to facilitate students’ development of a strong theoretical foundation in biostatistics and of a broad-based understanding of biostatistical methods.
Admission Criteria: Junior status; 3.2 UF GPA; Minimum combined (verbal + quantitative) GRE score of 300; Completion of the following 5 prerequisites with a GPA of 3.3 or better: STA 2023, MAC 2311, MAC 2312, MAC 2313, and either MAS 3114 or MAS 4105.
Contact: 352.294.5926 | Email (kcason@ufl.edu)

Public Health | Any Bachelor's Degree/MPH
Overlapping credits: 15
Qualified students with any undergraduate major can pursue a master’s degree in public health. Students complete 15 credits of public health core courses as an undergraduate and then complete the remaining 33 credits after admission to graduate school. Students select a concentration in public health management and policy, social and behavioral sciences, epidemiology, biostatistics or environmental health.
Admission Criteria: Competitive GRE score; 3.2 GPA; completion of APK 2105C, BSC 2005 or BSC 2010, PSY 2012, STA 2023, advanced psychology (abnormal or developmental) and any additional prerequisites (depends on concentration).
Contact: 352.273.6377 | Email (shanson@phhp.ufl.edu)
More Info (http://mph.ufl.edu/prospective-students/mph/collaborative-and-joint-mph-degrees/combined-bachelors-mph-degree-program/)

Applying
Meet with an academic advisor to determine the most-appropriate combination degree option. Qualified students can pursue the graduate degree outside the undergraduate major or department. Application...
Combination degrees normally occur in the junior or senior year. If accepted, students must take the GRE the first semester of their senior year.


Financial aid is available for the graduate portion of the program. Undergraduate degree costs should be satisfied with existing financial aid such as Bright Futures and Prepaid Tuition. Bright Futures can cover the undergraduate costs of up to 12 hours of graduate courses that apply to the undergraduate degree. Each student is responsible for the difference in tuition between the undergraduate and graduate course rates. If available, the Florida Prepaid Tuition Program can fund the first 120 hours. Graduate courses that apply toward the undergraduate degree are funded at the undergraduate rate, and the student is responsible for the difference.

FAQ

**What is a combination bachelor’s and master’s degree program?**
Combination degrees allow students to double count graduate credits toward their bachelor’s degree at no loss of integrity or quality of either degree. A combination degree program allows students to complete a specific number of graduate-level credits while enrolled as an undergraduate.

**Why should I participate in a combination degree program?**
The program allows students to take graduate coursework before they make a decision to complete a graduate degree. If the student continues in a graduate program, they’ll save at least one full semester of graduate enrollment.

**At what point in the undergraduate program should I apply?**
Students can apply as early as the second semester of their sophomore year or as late as their senior year depending upon the combination degree program.

**At what point do I enroll in graduate courses?**
If approved, students can take graduate courses during their junior and senior years as specified by the particular combination degree program.

**What is required for approval?**
As an undergraduate applying for entry into a combination degree program, students must have a minimum cumulative 3.2 UF GPA (some majors require a higher GPA) and have completed all critical-tracking requirements to enroll in graduate coursework while they are completing their undergraduate degree. After students apply for admission to the Graduate School, however, they must meet the minimum cumulative GPA requirement and GRE/GMAT score the particular master program requires.

**What is required so that 12 to 21 hours of graduate coursework (depending on the major) can also count toward my master’s degree?**
To apply the graduate credit to both degrees, students must be admitted to the Graduate School and receive a grade of B or higher in each course. A graduate coordinator can provide the admission requirements for a particular department.

**If I do not continue in graduate school, can the graduate coursework I complete still be used to satisfy my undergraduate degree requirements?**
Yes.

**What about my financial aid?**
Bright Futures and/or the Florida Prepaid Tuition Program will pay the undergraduate tuition rate for the graduate courses students take; each student will have to pay the difference between undergraduate and graduate course costs.

**Why would I want to pay additional tuition to enroll in graduate courses?**
If a student continues to graduate school, they will save on the tuition costs for the 12 to 21 graduate credits (depending on the major) taken while still classified as an undergraduate. Remember that graduate course costs will be partially paid by the student’s undergraduate financial aid.

**How do I apply?**
Contact an undergraduate advisor and complete the combination degree application. Students will need the approval of the undergraduate coordinator, the graduate coordinator, and the dean’s office of their undergraduate college.

**What do I do if I want to create my own combination degree program?**
Students should contact the coordinator in the graduate department of the new combination degree program.

**Are there other accelerated degree programs available other than combination degrees?**
Yes, there are several accelerated degree programs available. More Info ([http://catalog.ufl.edu/UGRD/academic-advising/accelerated-degrees/](http://catalog.ufl.edu/UGRD/academic-advising/accelerated-degrees/))