

# Undergraduate Programs

## Admission

### Admission to the Tippie College of Business

All students admitted to the Tippie College of Business must follow the Tippie Honor Code. Students who meet the admission requirements may subsequently be denied admission upon evidence of postsecondary academic misconduct or other violations of the honor code. Students may be required to meet with the associate dean of undergraduate programs to discuss incidents of academic misconduct. Prospective students must accept their offer of admission and submit all transcripts showing coursework that satisfies the Tippie College of Business admission requirements to University of Iowa Admissions by the appropriate deadline. Letters of recommendation are not accepted. Students granted admission to Tippie College of Business are eligible to apply for a limited pool of donor-funded scholarship dollars.

### Admission to the BA and BS Programs

Students who meet the high school course requirements and the Regent Admission Index (RAI) score based on their residency are eligible to gain admission to the Bachelor of Arts or Bachelor of Science programs in the Tippie College of Business. Students may also seek admission to the Bachelor of Arts or Bachelor of Science programs in the Tippie College of Business after matriculating to the University of Iowa or by transferring from another institution of higher education. For more information about admission, see Undergraduate Program Admissions on the Tippie College of Business website.

### Early Admission to the BBA Program

Students who meet the high school course requirements and the Regent Admission Index (RAI) score based on their residency and additionally have a composite ACT score of 26 or higher (or SAT equivalent) and a high school grade-point average (GPA) of 3.60 or higher (on a 4.00 scale) are eligible to gain early admission (or Direct Admission) to the BBA program in the Tippie College of Business. Applicants who meet one of the two additional criteria will be pooled for review for early admission to the BBA program with final decisions published by March 15.

High school students who do not gain early admission to the BBA program may pursue admission to the Bachelor of Arts or Bachelor of Science programs in the Tippie College of Business or to the pre-business program of study in the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences. For more information about admission, see Undergraduate Program Admissions on the Tippie College of Business website.

### Admission to the BBA Program

Students who have completed at least 24 s.h. of college credit, including a collection of five prerequisite courses and

have a GPA of at least 2.75 on those prerequisite courses, on all college coursework completed, and on all University of Iowa coursework are eligible for admission (or Standard Admission) to the BBA program in the Tippie College of Business. Students transferring from another institution of higher education must only meet the GPA requirement on the prerequisite courses and on all college coursework completed.

Students typically apply for admission to the BBA program in the term they are completing their final prerequisite course(s). Admission is not granted for the summer session or the winter session. Grades from the winter session do not count toward admission for the following spring semester, but grades from the summer session may count toward admission for the following fall semester. Students who are denied admission may file an appeal of their denial of admission to Tippie and must provide documentation of extenuating circumstances that affected their academic performance. For more information about admission, see Undergraduate Program Admissions on the Tippie College of Business website.

### Nondegree Admission

Students visiting from another institution who wish to enroll in undergraduate courses in order to earn credit that they can transfer to their home institution may be granted admission as undergraduate nondegree students. Nondegree students are not guaranteed access to specific courses; they must have the approval of the Undergraduate Program Office and may earn no more than 9 s.h. in nondegree status.

### Reentry Policy

All students who have been enrolled in another college or university since leaving the University of Iowa are required to submit official transcripts along with an application for reentry. Completed application materials must be received at least two weeks before the opening of classes. Reentry students are held to the requirements that are published in the University of Iowa General Catalog for the session in which they reenter.

### Absent for Fewer Than 12 Months in Good Standing

Students absent for fewer than 12 months are not required to file an application for reentry. Students who were in good standing when they left the university should contact the Tippie College of Business Undergraduate Program Office for advising before registration. Reentry is approved regardless of any admission requirement changes.

### Absent for Fewer Than 12 Months Not in Good Standing

Students absent for fewer than 12 months are not required to file an application for reentry. Students who were not in good standing when they left the university must consult with an advisor in the Tippie College of Business; the student may be readmitted on probation. Readmitted students should contact the Tippie College of Business Undergraduate Program Office for advising before registration. Reentry is approved regardless of any admission requirement changes. Not in good standing is defined as being on probation or having been dismissed from the Tippie College of Business due to unsatisfactory scholarship, academic misconduct at the University of Iowa or at another institution, or a violation of the Tippie College Undergraduate Honor Code. Students

who have been officially dismissed follow the procedures for reinstatement.

### **Absent for 12 Months or More in Good Standing**

Students absent from the University of Iowa for 12 months or more who left in good standing must apply to University of Iowa Admissions as returning students and must contact the Tippie College of Business Undergraduate Program Office for advising before registration. Good standing is defined as not on probation and not dismissed for any reason.

### **Absent for 12 Months or More Not in Good Standing**

Students absent from the University of Iowa for 12 months or more who were not in good standing when they left the university must file a petition with the Tippie College of Business Undergraduate Program Office to be reinstated. If the petition is approved, the student must apply to University of Iowa Admissions as a returning student; the Undergraduate Program Office notifies Admissions that a student's petition for reinstatement has been approved. The student also must schedule an appointment to see an advisor in the Tippie College of Business for advising before registration. Not in good standing is defined as being on probation or having been dismissed from the Tippie College of Business due to unsatisfactory scholarship, academic misconduct at the University of Iowa or at another institution, or a violation of the Tippie College Undergraduate Honor Code. Students who have been officially dismissed follow the procedures for reinstatement.