

HOSPITALITY MANAGEMENT, B.S.

Degree Requirements (120 hours)

Program of Study

Requirements	Credit Hours
1. Carolina Core	31-43
2. College Requirements	21
3. Program Requirements	6-17
4. Major Requirements	51

Founding Documents Requirement

All undergraduate students must take a 3-credit course or its equivalent with a passing grade in the subject areas of History, Political Science, or African American Studies that covers the founding documents including the United State Constitution, the Declaration of Independence, the Emancipation Proclamation and one or more documents that are foundational to the African American Freedom struggle, and a minimum of five essays from the Federalist papers. This course may count as a requirement in any part of the program of study including the Carolina Core, the major, minor or cognate, or as a general elective. Courses that meet this requirement are listed here (<https://academicbulletins.sc.edu/undergraduate/founding-document-courses/>).

1. Carolina Core Requirements (31-43 hours)

CMW – Effective, Engaged, and Persuasive Communication: Written (6 hours)

must be passed with a grade of C or higher

- ENGL 101
- ENGL 102

ARP – Analytical Reasoning and Problem Solving (6-8 hours)

Option 1

- MATH 122 or MATH 141
- Plus an additional course from one of the following:
 - Mathematics (at the next higher level)
 - Computer Science
 - Statistics
 - PHIL 114
 - PHIL 111

Option 2

Choose 1 from the following:

- Two courses from Computer Science
- Two courses from Statistics
- PHIL 111 & PHIL 114

SCI – Scientific Literacy (7 hours)

- Two approved CC-SCI courses (<https://academicbulletins.sc.edu/undergraduate/carolina-core-courses/>)s from the natural sciences

including one laboratory selected from Astronomy, Biology, Chemistry, Environmental Science, Geology, Marine Science or Physics

GFL – Global Citizenship and Multicultural Understanding: Foreign Language (0-6 hours)

College of HRSM students must demonstrate proficiency in a foreign language by achieving a score of 2 or higher on the foreign language placement test or by completing one foreign language course through 110 or 121.

- CC-GFL courses (<https://academicbulletins.sc.edu/undergraduate/carolina-core-courses/>)

GHS – Global Citizenship and Multicultural Understanding: Historical Thinking (3 hours)

- any CC-GHS course (<https://academicbulletins.sc.edu/undergraduate/carolina-core-courses/>)

GSS – Global Citizenship and Multicultural Understanding: Social Sciences (3 hours)

- any CC-GSS course (<https://academicbulletins.sc.edu/undergraduate/carolina-core-courses/>)

AIU – Aesthetic and Interpretive Understanding (3 hours)

- any CC-AIU course (<https://academicbulletins.sc.edu/undergraduate/carolina-core-courses/>)

CMS – Effective, Engaged, and Persuasive Communication: Spoken Component ¹ (0-3 hours)

- Select one of the following:
 - SPCH 140
 - SPCH 145
 - SPCH 230

INF – Information Literacy ¹ (0-3 hours)

- any overlay or stand-alone CC-INF course (<https://academicbulletins.sc.edu/undergraduate/carolina-core-courses/>)

VSR – Values, Ethics, and Social Responsibility ¹ (0-3 hours)

- any overlay or stand-alone CC-VSR course (<https://academicbulletins.sc.edu/undergraduate/carolina-core-courses/>)

¹ **Carolina Core Stand Alone or Overlay Eligible Requirements** – Overlay-approved courses offer students the option of meeting two Carolina Core components in a single course. A maximum of two overlays is allowed. The total Carolina Core credit hours must add up to a minimum of 31 hours. Some programs may have a higher number of minimum Carolina Core hours due to specified requirements.

2. College Requirements (21 hours)

Course	Title	Credits
HRSM 301	HRSM Professional Development Seminar	3
HRTM 344	Personnel Organization and Supervision	3
RETL 242	HRSM Professional Communications	3
RETL 261	Principles of Accounting I (must be passed with a grade of C or higher)	3

RETL 262	Principles of Accounting II (must be passed with a grade of C or higher)	3
SPT 240	Business Law	3
SPT 274	Computer Applications in Hospitality, Retail, and Sport Management	3
Total Credit Hours		21

3. Program Requirements (6-17 hours)

Supporting Courses (6 hours)

Course	Title	Credits
ECON 224	Introduction to Economics	3
MGMT 371	Principles of Management	3
Total Credit Hours		6

Minor (18 hours) *optional*

Minors are optional for Hospitality Management majors and may be in any course of study offered by the College of HRSM as well as any other University program with an approved minor. College of HRSM required courses may not be counted toward a minor.

Electives (0-11 hours)

The number of approved electives needed for the Hospitality Management Major Curriculum depends upon how students fulfill the Carolina Core Requirements and the optional selection of a minor. Any course in the University can be used to satisfy the elective requirement, including additional electives in the major field area.

4. Major Requirements (51 hours)

A minimum grade of C is required in all major courses

Major Courses (36 hours)

Course	Title	Credits
HRTM 110	Introduction to Hospitality Industry	3
HRTM 260	Hotel Management	3
HRTM 270	Quantity Food Production	3
HRTM 280	Foundations of Tourism	3
HRTM 285	Club Management	3
HRTM 370	Restaurant Food Production Management	3
HRTM 421	Hospitality Financial Management	3
HRTM 440	Services Management for Hospitality and Tourism	3
HRTM 450	Hospitality and Tourism Marketing	3
HRTM 490	Strategic Hospitality Management and Leadership	3
HRTM 495	Hospitality and Tourism Internship (must be completed in a club setting for the Club Management Concentration)	6
Total Credit Hours		36

Major Electives (15 hours)

Chosen in consultation with an advisor who can provide a list of recommended courses by focus area; at least 6 hours must be from HRTM.

Club Management Concentration (6 hours) *optional*

Students may obtain a Club Management Concentration by completing HRTM 495 in a private club setting. In addition, two of the following courses must be completed for a total of 6 credits.

Course	Title	Credits
Select two of the following:		
HRTM 473	Club Cuisine and Service	3
HRTM 475	Wines and Spirits in Food Service Establishments	3
HRTM 585	Advanced Club Management	3
HRTM 591	Golf Tourism	3