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Columbia Basin College

Bachelor of Applied Science (BAS) degree in Applied Management



Coming soon to CBC!

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BAS classes at CBC begin fall of 2009!

PROGRAM OVERVIEW

Beginning fall quarter 2009, Columbia Basin College will offer a Bachelors of Applied Science (BAS) degree in Applied Management. This degree is designed for those who have earned an Associate of Applied Science (AAS) degree, but lack the broader business-related education needed to move into leadership positions. Many AAS holders have reached a plateau in their career, unable to advance because they cannot meet the bachelor's degree requirements for most supervisory positions. The BAS degree will broaden career opportunities and help graduates climb the career ladder leading to improved chances for promotion to management positions.



CURRICULUM

This BAS program is designed specifically for AAS graduates because their applied science credits are generally non-transferable to four-year institutions. The new program gives AAS holders an opportunity to pursue a bachelor's degree without having to start their college education from scratch, allowing full-time students to complete a baccalaureate degree in approximately two years.

Coursework will include 55 credits of major core classes, 35 credits of general education courses, a capstone class, and several electives involving project management, marketing, and applied management. Courses will be offered primarily evenings and weekends, with some online course availability, to allow students to continue working while attending school.

Management instructors will primarily teach the core classes, while associate faculty from CBC and the community will help customize the coursework for the many different areas of AAS degrees; meaning students will complete assignments using specific information appropriate to their professions.

EXAMPLES OF CORE CLASS TOPICS:

- Management/leadership theory and strategy
- Strategic operations management
- Organizational behavior
- Legal issues
- Information technology and technology applications
- Human resource management
- Accounting

EXAMPLES OF GENERAL EDUCATION CLASS TOPICS:

- Environmental science
- Communications
- Statistics
- American diversity
- Ethics
- Economics



HOW TO APPLY

CBC will begin accepting applications in December of 2008 for the following fall quarter. Anyone with an Applied Science or Associate of Arts degree can apply. Although not a requirement, it is also recommended that candidates have some work experience in their field of expertise before beginning the program. Due to limited enrollment, applicants will have to complete a formal application and an interview before being accepted into the program. For more information about how to apply for the BAS program, call (509) 542-4863 or email dmeadows@columbiabasin.edu.



COST

Tuition rates will be similar to regional state universities. This information will be posted online once it is finalized by the state.

