

Consumer Science And Merchandising

The mission of the College of Technology is to prepare the technology leaders of tomorrow for global industry and commerce. The College of Technology is focused on key areas in technology and merchandising that have the power to improve products and operations, and that are in high demand by businesses and organizations around the world.

The Consumer Science and Merchandising degree follows specific course requirements as specified in the UH Undergraduate Catalog. In addition to the University's general education core curriculum, students complete coursework in computer literacy, communications, and various technical areas. The minimum total hours required to complete this degree is 120

The staff members in the Academic Student Services Office at the UC assist all students in determining which program of study to pursue. This includes providing information about the variety of programs available, reviewing transcripts to aid in identifying any courses to be completed before entering the program of choice, and serving as liaison between the student and university program representatives. Students who have already earned an associate's degree or have a substantial number of college academic credit hours should contact the Academic Student Services Office for advising and to begin the transfer admission process for the university offering the degree program they desire to pursue.

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Bachelor Of Science

University of Houston

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<u>Course #</u>	<u>UH Course Title</u>	<u>Course #</u>
Communication (9 hrs)		
ENGL 1303	Freshman Composition I	ENGL 1301
ENGL 1304	Freshman Composition II	ENGL 1302
Comm. 3356	Business Speech	SPCH 1321

Mathematics (3 hrs)		
MATH 1310	College Algebra	MATH 1314

Natural Sciences (6 hrs)		
BIOL 1431	Introduction to Biological Science	BIOL 1406
or BIOL 1432	Introduction to Biological Science	BIOL 1407
or CHEM 1301/1101	Foundations of Chemistry	CHEM 1405
or CHEM 1331/1111	Fundamentals of Chemistry	CHEM 1411
or CHEM 1332/1112	Fundamentals of Chemistry	CHEM 1412
or GEOL 1330/1130	Physical Geology	GEOL 1403
or GEOL 1376/1176	Historical Geology	GEOL 1404
or PHYS 1301/1101	General Physics	PHYS 1401
or PHYS 1302/1102	General Physics	PHYS 1402
or PHYS 1311/1112	Physics I	PHYS 2425
or PHYS 2313/2113/1312	Physics II	PHYS 2426

Humanities (3 hrs)		
HIST 2351	Western Civilization	HIST 2311
or HIST 2353	Western Civilization	HIST 2312
or ENGL 2301	Western World Lit I	ENGL 2332
or ENGL 2302	Western World Lit II	ENGL 2333
or ENGL 2303	English Lit to 1798	ENGL 2303
or ENGL 2304	English Lit. Since 1798	ENGL 2304
or PHIL 1301	Introduction to Philosophy	PHIL 1301
or PHIL 1305	Introduction to Ethics	PHIL 2306
or MUSI	Music Appreciation	MUSI 1306
or MUSI 1308	Music Literature I	MUSI 2360
or MUSI 1309	Music Literature II	MUSI 2361

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Visual & Performing Arts (3 hrs)		
ARTS 1380	Art History I	ARTS 1303
or ARTS 1381	Art History II	ARTS 1304
or MUSI	Music Appreciation	MUSI 1306
or MUSI 1308	Music Literature I	MUSI 2360
or MUSI 1309	Music Literature II	MUSI 2361

Social Sciences (3 hrs)		
ANTH 1300	Introduction Anthropology	ANTH 2346
or ECON 2304	Microeconomic Principles	ECON 2301
or ECON 2305	Macroeconomic Principles	ECON 2302
or GEOG 2340	World Realms	GEOG 1303*
or POLS 1333	Introduction to Political Science	GOVT 2304
or PSYC 1300	Introduction to Psychology	PSYC 2301
or PSYC 2380	Introduction to Social Psychology	PSYC 2326
or SOC 2300	Introductory Sociology	SOCI 1301*

History (6 hrs)		
HIST 1376	The U.S. to 1877	HIST 1301
HIST 1378	The U.S. since 1877	HIST 1302

Political Science (6 hrs)		
POLS 1336	U.S. & TX Constitution & Politics	GOVT 2301
POLS 1337	U.S. Government	GOVT 2302

Physical Education (1 hr)
Choose any KINE course:1111-2184 (Excluding any 3 hour KINE class)

Specialization Requirement (18 hrs)	
HDCS 1331	Intro to Merchandising
HDCS 2300	Research Concepts
HDCS 3301	Consumer Science
HDCS 4303	Merchandising Systems
HDCS 4380	Merchandising
HDCS 4393	Internship in HDCS

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Major Requirements		
ITEC	Principles of Accounting I	ACCT 2401
OCTE 2360	Business Law	BUSI 2301
HDCS 1331	Principles of Retailing	BMGT 1302
HDCS 2300	Mrkt. Research & Strategies	BMGT 1348
HDCS 3300	Principles of Management	BMGT 1303
DIST 3381	Principles of Selling	BMGT 1333
TECH 1301	Intro. To Computers	COSC/ITSC 1401

DIST 3380	Principles of Marketing	MRKT 1311
HDCS 3302	Textiles for Interior Design	INDS 2307
HDCS 3306	Personal Finance	BUSI 1307
HDCS 4369	Small Business Mngmnt.	BUSG 2309
HDCS 4386	Advertising & Sales Promo.	BMGT 1349

Major Core Requirements(24 hrs)	
DIST 3380	Distribution Technology
DIST 3381	Industrial/Consumer Sales
HDCS 3300	Org Decisions in Tech
Or ITEC 3340	Org Leadership and Supervision
HDCS 4369	Entrepreneurship
HDCS 4386	Communication Strategies
ITEC 2371	Industrial Fiscal Records
ITEC 2360	Business Law
TECH 3365	Industrial Computer Appl

Consumer Science & Merchandising Electives(15 hrs)	
HDCS 3302	Consumer Textiles
HDCS 3304	Visual Merchandising
HDCS 3306	Family Economics
HDCS 4302	Apparel Analysis
HDCS 4394	Internship in HDCS
HDCS 4396	Selected Topics in HDCS
DIST 1362	Intro to Industrial Distribution
DIST 3387	Procurement I
DIST 4387	Procurement II
COMM 3356	Business and Prof Speech
OCD 5380	Instr Strategies for Mark Ed

Total Hours required: 120*

-Please refer to UH Catalog for any changes or further details.