LIBERTY Doctor of Philosophy in Organization and Management (Ph.D.) Entrepreneurship Cognate UNIVERSITY. THE GRADUATE SCHOOL

2024-2025 Degree Completion Plan

| ORGANIZA | FION & MANAGEMENT CORE COURSES (21 hours) | <u>Hrs</u> | <u>Sem</u> | <u>Grade</u> |
|--------------------|---|------------|------------|--------------|
| BMAL 703 | Managing the Contemporary Organization | 3 | | |
| BMAL 704 | Leading Organizational Change | 3 | | |
| BMAL 710 | Understanding the Organization | 3 | | |
| BMAL 714 | Risk Management Process & Practice | 3 | | |
| BUSI 702 | PhD Program Orientation ¹ | 3 | | |
| BUSI 750 | Managing Human Resources | 3 | | |
| BUSI 770 | Strategy Formulation & Strategic Thinking | 3 | | |
| RESEARCH | COURSES (15 hours) | | | |
| BUSI 711 | Foundations of Fundamental & Theoretical Research Methods | 3 | | |
| BUSI 815 | Qualitative Research Methods | 3 | | |
| BUSI 816 | Advanced Qualitative Research Methods | | | |
| <u>or</u> BUSI 821 | Advanced Quantitative Research Methods | 3 | | |
| BUSI 820 | Quantitative Research Methods | 3 | | <u> </u> |
| BUSI 886 | PhD Research Concept | 3 | | |
| ENTREPREN | NEURSHIP COGNATE (9 hours) | | | |
| BUSI 707 | Entrepreneurship: From Startup to Exit Strategy | 3 | | |
| BUSI 708 | Small Business Management | 3 | | |
| BUSI 709 | Raising Capital for Business Startups | 3 | | |
| DISSERTAT | ION COURSES (15 hours) | | | |
| BUSI 987 | Dissertation I | 5 | | |
| BUSI 988 | Dissertation II | 5 | | |
| BUSI 989 | Dissertation III | 5 | | |
| BUSI 990 | Dissertation IV | 0 | | |
| | TOTAL HOURS | 60 | | |

Graduation Requirements

Complete 60 hours

A maximum of 50% of a post-graduate and doctoral degree may be transferred if approved and allowable, including credit from an earned degree from Liberty University on the same academic level

3.0 GPA

No grades lower than B- may be applied to the degree

Degree must be completed within seven years

Submission of Degree Completion Application must be completed within the last semester of a student's anticipated graduation date

Offered in Online Format

Notes

All applicable prerequisites must be met ¹BUSI 702 is a required first entry course for all students in this degree Suggested Course Sequence on second page

| First Semester | | | Second Semester | |
|--------------------------------|-------|----------|--------------------------|------------|
| BUSI 702 (B Term) ¹ | | 3 | BMAL 704 (B Term) | |
| BUSI 711 (B Term) | | 3 | BUSI 707 (B Term) | 3 |
| BMAL 703 (D Term) | | 3 | BUSI 708 (D Term) | 3 |
| BMAL 710 (D Term) | | <u>3</u> | BUSI 750 (D Term) | 2 |
| | Total | 12 | Tota | d 1 |
| Third Semester | | | Fourth Semester | |
| BMAL 714 (B Term) | | 3 | BUSI 709 (B Term) | |
| BUSI 815 (B Term) | | 3 | BUSI 816 or 821 (B Term) | |
| BUSI 770 (D Term) | | 3 | BUSI 886 (D Term) | |
| BUSI 820 (D Term) | | <u>3</u> | Tota | |
| | Total | 12 | | |
| Fifth Semester | | | Sixth Semester | |
| BUSI 987 (A Term) | | <u>5</u> | BUSI 988 (A Term) | 4 |
| | Total | 5 | Tota | |
| Seventh Semester | | | Eighth Semester | |
| BUSI 989 (A Term) | | <u>5</u> | BUSI 990 (B or D Term) | |
| | Total | 5 | Tota | |