

# PROGRAM OF STUDY

## Agriculture Business Associate in Science for Transfer Degree

The Associate in Science in Agriculture Business for Transfer Degree prepares students for transfer into a California State University baccalaureate degree program similar to the agriculture business area of emphasis. The degree provides students with a foundation of knowledge in agribusiness theories and principles through transfer preparatory courses in agriculture economics, computer applications, sales, communications, and accounting.

### Program Learning Outcomes:

- Describe the strength, diversity, economic dynamics and opportunities of the California, U.S. and global agriculture economies.
- Communicate effectively, including use of proper presentation and promotion skills, to individuals and to groups, using oral, print and digital media.
- Utilize and apply digital/electronic technology as found in the agriculture business industry.
- Record, organize, and analyze financial and production data related to agriculture businesses.
- Determine agriculture business inputs, with an understanding of the interaction among those components, leading to accurate business planning and decision making.
- Demonstrate a breadth of knowledge of the agriculture industry that provides a base for decision making and credibility in personal interactions and career decisions.

### Required Core Courses - 14 units

|   |                                | <b>Units</b> |
|---|--------------------------------|--------------|
| AGBS2   | Agricultural Economics         | 3            |
| ECON1A  | Principles of Macroeconomics   | 3            |
| Select 4 units from the following physical science courses: |                                |              |
| PLS2  | Soils                          | 3            |
|   | <b>and</b>                     |              |
| PLS2L   | Soils Laboratory               | 1            |
|   | <b>or</b>                      |              |
| CHEM3A  | Introductory General Chemistry | 4            |
| Select one statistics course from the following:            |                                |              |
| STAT7   | Elementary Statistics          | 4            |
| MATH11  | Elementary Statistics          | 4            |

### Select 5 courses from the following (15-18 units)

|        |  | <b>Units</b> |
|--------|--|--------------|
| AGBS1  | Introduction to Agriculture Business   | 3            |
| AGBS3  | Agriculture Accounting                 | 3            |
| AGBS4  | Computer Applications in Agriculture   | 3            |
| AGBS5  | Ag Sales and Communications            | 3            |
| BA18   | Business Law and the Legal Environment | 4            |
| BA39   | Finite Mathematics for Business        | 3            |
|        | <b>or</b>                              |              |
| MATH5A | Math Analysis I                        | 5            |

**Completion of CSU General Education or IGETC  
CSU electives to reach 60 units total**

**Units**

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**Total Units**

**60**

Effective Term: Fall 2017

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