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UNIVERSITY	College College of Business		
Program Name		New Program*	Effective Date
Master of Science-Supply Chain Management			(TERM & YEAR)
		Change Program*	Fall 2025
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Faculty Contact/ scarnovale@fau.e	•	the change(s) and attack	nents that may be affected by a documentation
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Department Chair			9 / 15 / 2024
College Curriculum Chair Robert Pinsker			1/24/2025
College Dean Marc Rhorer		1/24/2025	
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Email this form and attachments to <a href="UGPC@fau.edu">UGPC@fau.edu</a> 10 days before the UGPC meeting.

## Summary of the changes:

- 1. Strategic Sourcing (new course, MAN6579) to replace IT Sourcing Management (ISM6509) as a required course in the program.
- 2. New requirement (and new course) of Strategic Logistics & Distribution Management (SCM6276) to the program.
- 3. Number of required courses is now 9 and there is now one choice of elective.
- 4. Addition of MAN 6525 to list of required courses was made effective Spring 2024. The catalog (https://www.fau.edu/registrar/university-catalog/catalog/business/) has been edited to reflect this.

## **SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT**MASTER OF SCIENCE (M.S.)

The Master of Science with Major in Supply Chain Management offers a strong curriculum delivering the foundations and principles of Supply Chain Management, Operations Management, Procurement and Sourcing. This curriculum is integrated with concentrated study of Business Analytics, Shipping and Trade to provide students with the key skills and hands-on experience demanded by employers locally, statewide, nationally and internationally. Students are required to complete 30 graduate-level credits with a 3.0 GPA or better to graduate. The program does not offer a thesis option. It is available in person or fully online.

## Admission

The College of Business seeks a diverse, highly qualified group of graduate students. Applications are evaluated on several factors emphasizing prior academic performance, GMAT or GRE scores, work experience and the potential for scholarly and professional success. Important factors are:

- 1. A bachelor's degree in any discipline. No business prerequisites are required;
- 2. A GPA approximately 3.0 or higher over the last 60 undergraduate credits;
- 3. GRE/GMAT scores more than five years old are normally not acceptable. The GRE and the GMAT requirement is waived for any student who has a baccalaureate degree from FAU's Department of Information Technology and Operations Management (ITOM) with a GPA of at least 3.25 (out of a possible 4.0) in the last 60 credits attempted prior to graduation;
- 4. International students from non-English-speaking countries must be proficient in written and spoken English as evidenced by a score of at least 500 (paper-based test) or 213 (computer-based test) or 79 (internet-based test) on the Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL) or a score of at least 6.0 on the International English Language Testing Systems (IELTS); and
- 5. Students must meet other requirements of the FAU Graduate College.

## **Degree Requirements**

Students are required to complete 30 graduate-level credits or ten 3-credit courses (5000 level or higher) with a GPA of 3.0 or higher to graduate. The program does not offer a thesis option.

Required Courses - 24 27 credits		
Communication Strategies for Business Professionals	GEB 6215	3 <b>or</b>
and Core-Course Follow-Up		
Communication Strategies for Business Professionals	GEB 6217	3
(for students in the Professional MSSCM only)		
Business Process Improvement Management	MAN 6525	3
Information Technology Sourcing Management	MIS-6509	3
Strategic Procurement	MAN 6579	<u>3</u>
Operations Management	MAN 6501	3
International Shipping, Trade and Port Management	MAN 6565	3

Supply Chain Management	MAN 6596	3
Data Management and Analysis with Excel	QMB 6303	3
Supply Chain Analytics	QMB 6616	3
Strategic Logistics and Distribution Management	SCM 6276	<u>3</u>
Elective Courses - Select two one from this list		
Data Mining and Predictive Analytics	ISM 6136	3
Database Management Systems	ISM 6217	3
Advanced Business Analytics	ISM 6405	3
Business Innovation with Artificial Intelligence	ISM 6427C	3
Blockchain and Crypto Assets: Digital Business	ISM 6455	3
Transformation		
Web-Based Business Development	ISM 6508	3
Social Media and Web Analytics	ISM 6555	3
Special Topics	ISM 6930	2-5
Graduate Information Technology and Operations	ISM 6942	3
Management Internship		
Introduction to Business Analytics and Big Data	ISM 6404	3
Project Management	MAN 6581	3