



SOUTHWESTERN

COLLEGE

PROFESSIONAL STUDIES



Category 1

Southwestern College Professional Studies
 Bachelor of Science with a Major in Business Quality Management
 Air University ABC

The quality of a service or product that meets or exceeds customers' expectations is a critical success factor for an organization in an increasingly competitive domestic or global environment. Effective quality management and leadership increase the potential for organizations to achieve this goal. The Bachelor of Science in business quality management program provides learners the opportunity to develop competencies in quality management practices related to change management, team engagement, international standards, quality management systems and systems, negotiation and conflict resolution, and data analysis and reporting. Emphasis is placed on quality management as an organizational strategy and the ethical, legal, and socially responsible behaviors expected from individuals and organizations. Throughout the program, learners are offered opportunities to explore the application of quality management in different service and manufacturing industries, and they select one type of organization and/or industry as a focus for their Capstone project. Graduates have practical, marketable quality management knowledge and skills grounded in industry-accepted theories and practices to help them enter and/or progress in a competitive job market, while building a solid theoretical foundation for potential graduate studies.

Academic Residency- 30 semester credit hours

DEGREE REQUIREMENTS		Hours Required	CCAF Hours Transferred	Hours Completed with SC
General Education		27 SH	15	3
ENGL	101 English Composition I (CCAF)	3	3	
ENGL	102 English Composition II	3		3
MASC	115 *College Math (CCAF)	3	3	
CORE	101 Developing Academic and Professional Strengths	3		Waived
CORE	110 Information Literacy	3		Waived
COM	301 Professional Communication	3		Waived
	Oral Communications Course (CCAF)	3	3	
	Social Science Course (CCAF)	3	3	
	Humanities Course (CCAF)	3	3	
**Lower Division Academic Courses (CCAF military hours)		49 SH	49	
Total CCAF Transfer			64	
Required Prerequisites		3 SH		3
MASC	110 Statistics & Probability	3		3
Upper Division Major and Competency Requirements		39 SH		39
BQM	305 Principles of Quality Management	3		3
BQM	323 Quality, Organizational Behavior & Change Leadership	3		3
BQM	325 Quality Through Effective Teams	3		3
BQM	363 ISO Standards & Applications	3		3
BQM	365 Six Sigma Principles & Applications	3		3
BQM	367 LEAN Principles & Applications	3		3
BQM	480 Quality as an Essential Competitive Strategy	3		3
BQM	497 Business Quality Management Senior Capstone	3		3
BSAD	415 Negotiations & Conflict Resolutions	3		3
HRD	323 Finance for Non-Financial Managers	3		3
ISM	465 Data Acquisition & Analytics	3		3
ISM	475 Data Visualization & Reporting	3		3
OMGT	444 Project Management	3		3
***Upper Division Major-Related Electives - Suggested		15 SH		15
CJUS	411 Performance Management	3		3
COT	420 Enterprise Forensics	3		3
CPT	285 Introduction to Computer Programming	3		3

DEGREE REQUIREMENTS			Hours Required	CCAF Hours Transferred	Hours Completed with SC
ISM	431	Enterprise Security	3		3
OMGT	315	Operations Logistics Management	3		3
Total Credits			124	64	60
<p>Notes: Learners are eligible to begin a degree program with a major in Business Quality Management when they have accumulated a total of 6 credit hours from an accredited institution. Hours from CLEP and DANTEs tests may be included in that 6 hour requirement if transcribed by a previously attended institution. Additional CLEP and DANTEs hours (up to 30 credit hours) may be used for elective credit if transcribed by Southwestern College.</p> <p>-Full credit is given for hours on a CCAF transcript up to a maximum of 64 hours of college credit.</p> <p>*Any College Math that is accepted as part of the completed CCAF degree will be accepted as a Foundation Course. However, certain upper division required courses require College Algebra as a prerequisite and must be fulfilled prior to the requisite course enrollment.</p> <p>**Lower Division Academic Courses: Any lower division academic courses will satisfy this requirement. Air University ABC learners are encouraged to take courses in an area of interest for their major field of study.</p> <p>***Upper Division Major-Related Electives: Any academic courses from an accredited baccalaureate degree granting institution will satisfy these electives or they may be completed with Southwestern College. Air University ABC learners are encouraged to take courses in an area of interest for their field of study. In addition, any military training designated by ACE as upper division credit may be used to satisfy the academic elective requirement.</p> <p>Effective date as of 11/01/2019</p>					