Bachelor of Science in Business Quality Management

Gain the knowledge and skills necessary to implement organizational change through quality improvement in all organizational processes of a business.

Credit Awarded From
- Prior College
- Military
- Work/Life Experience
- Exams (CLEP, DANTES)

Flexibility
Six-week Online classes

Practical Application
Hands-on activities & projects

About Southwestern College
Southwestern College Professional Studies specializes in educating busy working adults, members of the military and individuals looking for a flexible way to earn a degree.

Established in 1885, we are a private, not-for-profit college affiliated with the United Methodist Church. SC is regionally accredited by the Higher Learning Commission.

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Prerequisites

- MASC110  Statistics & Probability

Core Major Requirements

- BQM305  Principles of Quality Management
- BQM323  Quality, Organizational Behavior & Change Leadership
- BQM325  Quality through Effective Teams
- OMGT444  Project Management
- BQM363  ISO Standards & Applications
- BQM365  Six Sigma Principles & Applications
- BQM367  LEAN Principles & Applications
- HRD323  Finance for Non-Financial Managers
- ISM465  Data Acquisition & Analytics
- ISM475  Data Visualization & Reporting
- BSAD415  Negotiation & Conflict Resolution
- BQM480  Quality as an Essential Competitive Strategy
- BQM497  Business Quality Management Capstone

(Prior study of professional communication is recommended.)

Recommended Electives

- ACCT325  Managerial Accounting
- BSAD494  Marketing
- COT330  Microsoft Office Applications (only for those unfamiliar with Microsoft Office)

Foundation Requirements

- CORE101  Developing Academic & Professional Strengths
- CORE110  Information Literacy
- ENGL101  Composition I
- ENGL102  Composition II
- COM125  Speech
- HUM201  Ethics
- COM301  Professional Communication
- MASC110  Statistics & Probability

Disciplinary Perspective Requirements

- Humanities (6 credits)
- Natural Sciences/Mathematics (4 credits)
- Social Sciences (6 credits)

Graduation Requirements

1. Complete all foundation and major courses with an overall GPA of 2.0
2. Complete a minimum of 124 credit hours, with at least 60 hours at a bachelor’s degree-granting institution
3. Complete at least 30 credit hours with a C average or above from Southwestern College

Program Description

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.

Admission Requirements

1. Have completed a minimum of 6 post-high school college credits
2. Minimum GPA of 2.0

All degree requirements are subject to change. Please see Southwestern College Professional Studies Catalog for the most current degree requirements. All course descriptions can be found online at ps.sckans.edu.