



SOUTHWESTERN
COLLEGE

PROFESSIONAL STUDIES

INFORMATION SYSTEMS MANAGEMENT



Undergraduate Degree

It's never been a more exciting time to earn your degree in information systems management (ISM). Careers in cyber security, web management and software engineering are in demand! The dynamic ISM curriculum offers courses including information systems analysis and design, information security, and project management – all taught by industry experts who bring real-world application to the virtual classroom. Learners experience flexibility with six-week online classes in an accelerated format in order to earn their degree faster and move up in the technology industry.

Applied Learning

Hands-on experience through real-life scenarios

Credit Awarded From

- Prior college
- Military
- Work/Life Experience
- Exams (CLEP, DSST)

Flexible

Six-week online classes

Expert Instruction

Learn from practicing professionals

About Southwestern College

Southwestern College Professional Studies offers practical online degree programs focused on an enhanced learner experience, provided by a regionally accredited, 130+ year old non-profit institution. Each learner can expect: hands-on counselors to help you navigate your program requirements; generous transfer credits to reduce your overall cost and time to completion; progressive, nationally recognized programs; accessible student resources to minimize the stress of degree completion; and small class sizes with experienced, practicing faculty to facilitate interaction and ensure your academic success.



Bachelor of Science in Information Systems Management

Core Major Requirements

- ISM 200 Management of Information Systems
- ISM 240 Introduction to Problem Solving
- ISM 367 Business Intelligence and Analytics
- ISM 400 Database Management Systems
- ISM 401 Managing Innovation
- OMGT444 Project Management
- BSAD420 Information Systems Analysis and Design
- HRD 323 Finance for Non-Financial Managers
- SMGT341 Principles of Information Security
- ISM 497 Information Systems Management Capstone

Required Prerequisites

- HUM 201 Ethics

General Education Requirements

Basic Skills

- CORE110 Information Literacy
- ENGL101 Composition 1
- ENGL102 Composition 2
- COM 125 Speech
- MASC110 Statistics and Probability or MASC115 College Algebra

Ethical Reasoning

- HUM 201 Ethics

Disciplinary Perspectives

- Natural Science (3 or more credit hours)
- Social Science (3 or more credit hours)
- Humanities (3 or more credit hours)
- The Arts (3 or more credit hours)
- Other Cultures (3 or more credit hours)

Capstone

- CAPS495 (Senior capstone or major capstone course - 3 credit hours)

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 Information Systems Management (I.S.M.) program prepares learners to successfully manage information systems innovation, design, development, and operations. The program emphasizes broad knowledge and skills in information systems management and administration and applied knowledge in project, information security, design and development, and innovation management. In addition, the I.S.M. program offers areas of specialization in security, enterprise, data management, and decision support. Students demonstrate their knowledge and skills throughout the program through their application to realistic scenario and simulation-based activities and applied projects.

Admission Requirements

1. Applicants must be graduates of an accredited high school or have completed a GED®
2. Minimum GPA of 2.0

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

