UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH CAROLINA

Major Map: Hospitality Management – Bachelor of Science (B.S.)
College of Hospitality, Retail, and Sport Management
School of Hotel, Restaurant, and Tourism Management
Catalog Year: 2016-2017

This course plan is a recommended sequence for this major. Courses designated as critical (!) may have a deadline for completion and/or affect time to graduation. Please see the Program Notes section for details regarding "critical courses" for this particular Program of Study.

Critical	Course Subject and Title	Credit Hours	Min. Grade[1]	Major GPA[2]	Code	Prerequisites	Notes
Semester One (15-17 Credit Hours)							
!	ENGL 101 Critical Reading and Composition	3	C		CC-CMW		
!	Carolina Core ARP[3]	3-4			CC-ARP		
	Foreign Language[4] or other Carolina Core Requirement[5]	3-4			CC-GFL		
!	HRTM 110 Introduction to Hospitality Industry	3	C		MR		
	UNIV 101 The Student in the University or Carolina Core Requirement[5]	3			PR/CC		
Semester Two (15-16 Credit Hours)							
!	ENGL 102 Rhetoric and Composition	3	C		CC-CMW CC-INF		
!	Carolina Core ARP[3]	3-4			CC-ARP		
	Foreign Language[4] or other Carolina Core Requirement[5]	3			CC-GFL		
!	HRTM 260 Hotel Management	3	C		MR		
!	SPCH 140 Public Communication or SPCH 230 Business and Professional Speaking	3			CC-CMS		
Summer (6 Credit Hours)							
!	HRTM 290 Practicum and Seminar[6]	6	C		MR		
Semester Three (15-16 Credit Hours)							
	ITEC 242 Business Communications	3			CR	ENGL 101 & 102	
!	ECON 224 Introduction to Economics	3			PR		
!	HRTM 270 Quantity Food Production	3	C		MR		
!	RETL 261 Functional Accounting I	3	C		CR		
	Carolina Core Requirement[5]	3-4			CC		
Semester Four (15-16 Credit Hours)							
!	HRTM 280 Foundations of Tourism	3	C		MR		
!	RETL 262 Functional Accounting II	3	C		CR	RETL 261	
!	ITEC 264 Computer Applications in Business	3			CR		
	Carolina Core Requirement[5]	3			CC		
	Carolina Core Requirement[5]	3-4			CC		
Semester Five (15 Credit Hours)							
!	HRTM 285 Club Management	3	C		MR		
	HRTM Professional Elective[8]	3	C		MR		
	MGMT 371 Principles of Management	3			PR		
	Carolina Core Requirement[5] or Approved Elective[7]	3			CC/PR		
	Carolina Core Requirement[5] or Approved Elective[7] (only if needed to meet Carolina Core requirements or hours to graduate)	0-3			CC/PR		
Semester Six (15 Credit Hours)							
	HRTM Professional Elective[8]	3	C		MR		
	HRSM 301 Professional Development Seminar[9]	3			CR		
	MKTG 350 Principles of Marketing	3			PR	ECON 224 & RETL 262	
	HRTM 344 Personnel Organization & Supervision	3			CR		
	Carolina Core Requirement[5] or Approved Elective[7] (only if needed to meet Carolina Core requirements or hours to graduate)	0-3			CC/PR		
Summer (6 Credit Hours)							
	HRTM 495 Hospitality & Tourism Internship[9 & 10]	6	C		MR		
Semester Seven (12 Credit Hours)							
	HRTM 370 Restaurant Food Production Management or HRTM 372 Catering Management[9]	3	C		MR	HRTM 270	
	HRTM 421 Hospitality Financial Managment[9]	3	C		MR	RETL 262	
	SPTE 240 Business Law	3			CR		
	HRTM Professional Elective[8]	3	C		MR		
Semester Eight (12 Credit Hours)							
	HRTM 450 Hospitality & Tourism Marketing[9]	3	C		MR	MKTG 350	
	HRTM 490 Hospitality Management Strategies[9]	3	C		MR/CC-INT	MGMT 371 and senior standing	
	HRTM Professional Elective[8]	3	C		MR		
	Approved Elective[7]	3			PR		

Graduation Requirements Summary

Minimum Total Hours	Major Requirements Hours	College & Program Requirements Hours	Carolina Core Hours	Minimum Overall GPA
120	51	33-39	31-37	2.00

1. Regardless of individual course grades, students must maintain a minimum 2.00 cumulative GPA.
2. Some colleges require a minimum GPA for major courses. Courses indicated in this column are included in the major GPA for this program of study.
3. The ARP Requirement for Hospitality Management may be met through two options: 1) MATH 122 or MATH 141 plus an additional course from Mathematics (at the next higher level), Computer Science (above CSCE 101), Statistics, PHIL 114, or PHIL 111; or 2) Two courses from Computer Science (above CSCE 101) or Two courses from Statistics or PHIL 114 and PHIL 111.
4. College of HRSM students must demonstrate proficiency in a foreign language by achieving a score of 2 or higher on the foreign language placement test, or credit equivalent to USC 109 and 110 courses, or credit equivalent to the USC 121 course.
5. The Carolina Core provides the common core of knowledge, skill and academic experience for all Carolina undergraduate students.
6. Supervised full-time work experience in an area of the hospitality and tourism industry, selected by the student and approved by the practicum coordinator. 400 hours required. This experience may be delayed or completed during a regular semester, if needed. Students may complete up to an additional 9 credit hours while completing HRTM 290.
7. The Hospitality Management major curriculum includes 2-11 hours of approved electives, depending on how students fulfill the Carolina Core requirements. Any course in the University can be used to satisfy the elective requirement including additional electives in the major.
8. HRSM Professional Electives are chosen in consultation with an advisor. At least 6 hours must be from HRTM.
9. Students must complete Carolina Core CMW, CMS, and ARP courses, Pre-Professional college required courses, Pre-Professional Major Courses and Pre-Professional related courses before taking any one Professional Major Course.
10. Structured industry practical experience in a hospitality or tourism company. 400 hours required. Students may complete up to an additional 9 credit hours while completing HRTM 495.

Program Notes:

- Courses designated as critical (!) are required to be successfully completed with a minimum GPA of 2.0 to enroll in Professional Division courses.
- Minors are optional for Hospitality Management majors and may be in any course of study offered by the College of HRSM as well as any other University program with an approved minor. College of HRSM required courses may not be counted toward a minor.
- The last 30 credit hours toward your degree must be earned in residence at the University of South Carolina-Columbia.

University Requirements: Bachelor's degree-seeking students must meet Carolina Core (general education) requirements. For more information regarding these requirements, please visit the Carolina Core page on the University website.

Codes:			
CC	Carolina Core	**CC-INF**	Carolina Core – Information Literacy
CC-AIU	Carolina Core-Aesthetic and Interpretive Understanding	**CC-INT**	Carolina Core – Integrative Course
CC-ARP	Carolina Core-Analytical Reasoning and Problem-Solving	**CC-SCI**	Carolina Core – Scientific Literacy
CC-CMS	Carolina Core-Effective, Engaged, and Persuasive Communication: Spoken Component	**CC-VSR**	Carolina Core – Values, Ethics, and Social Responsibility
CC-CMW	Effective, Engaged, and Persuasive Communication: Written Component	**CR**	College Requirement
CC-GFL	Carolina Core-Global Citizenship and Multicultural Understanding: Foreign Language	**MR**	Major Requirement
CC-GHS	Carolina Core – Historical Thinking	**PR**	Program Requirement
CC-GSS	Carolina Core – Social Sciences		

Disclaimer: Major maps are only a suggested or recommended sequence of courses required in a program of study. Please contact your academic advisor for assistance in the application of specific coursework to a program of study and course selection and planning for upcoming semesters.