

MANAGEMENT INFORMATION SYSTEMS MS MIS BRIDGE/ACCELERATED OPTION

The Bridge/Accelerated Option enables students to start a **Master of Science in Management Information Systems** (MS MIS) while they are still undergraduate students. This program is **open to all UNLV undergraduate students**, and not just those in the Lee Business School or the BSBA Information Systems program.

Qualified students can take the following graduate courses (up to 12 credits) upon approval by the MIS Graduate Coordinator. These courses may be used to fulfill the requirements of the IS minor and/or other majors. BSBA Information Systems majors may fulfill their requirements for their degree in the following way:

Graduate-Level Courses	Replaced Undergraduate Courses
MIS 740 Software Concepts (Python)	Information Systems elective
MIS 744 Information Systems Strategy	IS 491
MIS 762 Systems Analysis, Modeling and Design	Information Systems elective
MIS 764 Technology and Innovation Management	Information Systems elective
MIS 766 Data Management	IS 475
MIS 768 Advanced Software Concepts (Java)	IS 380
MIS 769 Big Data Analytics for Business	IS 471
MIS 776 Business Analytics	IS 489

For students that get subsequently admitted into the MS MIS program, any of the above MIS graduate courses that they have completed, with a grade of "B" or better, as part of the Bridge/Accelerated Option at UNLV will be waived in the MS MIS program. As a result, students can complete the MS MIS degree with as little as **24 additional credits or one year of full-time study**.

To qualify for graduate participation, undergraduate students must meet the following requirements at time of enrollment in each graduate course:

Requirements

- Junior or senior standing
 - Minimum 3.00 overall GPA
 - Recommendation of the MIS Graduate Coordinator (must be obtained for each such course registration)
- To apply, students must submit a completed Bridge/Accelerated Option Enrollment Request form, no less than two weeks before the beginning of the semester for which they would like to register for graduate courses. Please email misgradprogram@unlv.edu for the form and further instructions.

Approval to take these graduate courses does not convey a preference for admission to the MS MIS program.

Details on the MS MIS degree and admission requirements are available at www.unlv.edu/degree/ms-management-information-systems.