

## 2007-08 Catalog: Programs of Study

### Financial Services (Financial Planning Associate) (2137)

#### Associate in Science

The Financial Planning Associate program will enable you to embark upon a profitable and rewarding career in financial services. One of the fastest growing industries in the U.S. is financial planning. This field is particularly strong in Jacksonville where many large financial services companies are located. Banks, insurance companies, credit unions, brokerage firms, investment advisors and financial planners are looking for qualified and motivated degree students. You have two options upon graduation from our program: seek employment as a paraplanner or in another financial services capacity; or continue on to earn a bachelor's degree in Financial Planning at the University of North Florida, which accepts our program credits.

In addition to the A.S. degree program, there is a technical certificate available: **Financial Para-planner**.

#### Articulations

This A.S. degree program articulates into a bachelor's degree program. For more information, please visit the **Transfer Services** Web site.

#### Cost

Estimated cost of tuition is \$3,984 (tuition rated for Florida residents, as of 7/07). Contact the program manager about additional costs (textbooks, fees and materials).

#### Need More Information? Contact:

**Melissa Chandler**, Urban Resource Center, 904.361.6261  
Or call 904.632.5064

#### Curriculum

Course Number and Title	Credits
<b>General Education</b>	
<b>ENC 1101</b> English Composition I	3
<b>ENC 1102</b> Writing About Non-Fiction	3
<b>LIT 2000</b> Introduction to Literature: Writing About Fiction	3
*Humanities	6
<b>MAC 1105</b> College Algebra	3
**Laboratory Science	4
**Non-Lab Science	3
<b>ECO 2013</b> Principles of Economics I	3
<b>Credit Hours</b>	<b>28</b>
<b>Required Professional Courses</b>	
<b>ACG 2021</b> Financial Accounting	4
<b>ACG 2071</b> Managerial Accounting	3
<b>CGS 1100</b> Microcomputer Applications for Business and Economics	3
<b>ECO 2023</b> Principles of Economics II	3
<b>FIN 1122</b> Fundamentals of Financial Planning	3
<b>FIN 1943</b> Internship	3
<b>FIN 2123</b> Investment Planning, Retirement Planning and Employee Benefits	3
<b>MAC 2233</b> Calculus for Business and Social Sciences	3

<b>RMI 1521</b>	Principles of Insurance (INS-21)	3
<b>STA 2023</b>	Elementary Statistics	3
<b>FIN 2931</b>	Special Topics in Finance	1
	<b>Credit Hours</b>	<b>32</b>
	<b>Total Credit Hours</b>	<b>60</b>

\*Three credits of Gordon Rule Humanities

\*\*Astronomy, Biology, Chemistry, Earth Science or Physics

#### Note

The associate in science degree program is intended primarily for students who desire to transfer to a four-year university. Students who are primarily interested in preparation for employment upon graduation should consider the associate in applied science program in **Financial Services**.

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To request information, contact the Learner Support Center at [info@fccj.edu](mailto:info@fccj.edu) or 904.646.2300.

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