

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Student ID#: \_\_\_\_\_

**Recreation Administration B.S. Program Check Sheet  
 2014-2015 Catalog Term**

**Colonnade Program**  
 Includes courses in communication, humanities, social & behavioral sciences, natural sciences, world culture, and health/wellness.

**Foundations (18 hours)**

**College Composition (3)(WC)**  
 \*Students w/English ACT score of 29 & above receive credit for this.  
 \_\_\_\_\_ (3) ENG 100 Introduction to College Writing

**Writing in the Disciplines (3)(WC)**  
 \_\_\_\_\_ (3) ENG 300 Writing in the Disciplines  
 OR \_\_\_\_\_ (3) COMM 200 Communication Foundations

**Human Communication (3)(OC)**  
 \_\_\_\_\_ (3) COMM 145 Fundamentals of Public Speaking

**Quantitative Reasoning (3)(QR)**  
 \*Students with a Math ACT  $\geq 26$  or an SAT score  $\geq 600$  will receive credit for MATH 116.  
 \_\_\_\_\_ (3) MATH 109, 116, or 183

**Literary Studies (3)(AH)**  
 \_\_\_\_\_ (3) ENG 200 Introduction to Literature

**World History (3)(SB)**  
 \_\_\_\_\_ (3) HIST 101 World History I  
 OR \_\_\_\_\_ (3) HIST 102 World History II

**Explorations**

**Arts & Humanities (3)(AH)**  
 \_\_\_\_\_ (3) \_\_\_\_\_

**Social & Behavioral Sciences (SB)**  
 \_\_\_\_\_ (3) \*REC 200 Introduction to Recreation

**Natural & Physical Sciences (6)(NS)**  
 \*Minimum of 6 hours, including one course with an essential/lab component. Courses must be taken from 2 different disciplines.  
 \_\_\_\_\_ (3) \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_ (3) \_\_\_\_\_

**Connections (9 hours)**  
 \*Students should complete 21 hours (in Foundations/Explorations courses) or have junior status before enrolling, since content builds on Explorations and Foundations courses. Courses must be from 3 separate disciplines.

**Social & Cultural (3)**  
 \_\_\_\_\_ (3) \_\_\_\_\_

**Local to Global (3)**  
 \_\_\_\_\_ (3) \_\_\_\_\_

**Systems (3)**  
 \_\_\_\_\_ (3) \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ **Foreign Language Proficiency** (Language Proficiency of novice-high must be earned before completing 60 credit hours)

*Courses marked with \* are required in the major and meet general education requirements.*

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**Minor and/or Open Elective Courses: (36 hours)**  
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**Recreation Administration**

**Required Core Courses:** (33 hrs.) "C" or better needed\*  
 \_\_\_\_\_ (3) REC 200 Introduction to Recreation\*  
 \_\_\_\_\_ (3) REC 302 Recreation Leadership\*  
 \_\_\_\_\_ (3) REC 306 Program Planning & Evaluation\*  
 \_\_\_\_\_ (3) REC 328 Inclusive Recreation\* (S)  
 \_\_\_\_\_ (3) REC 402 Fiscal Practices in Recreation\* (F)  
 \_\_\_\_\_ (3) REC 404 Recreation Facility Management\* (S)  
 \_\_\_\_\_ (3) REC 406 Recreation Administration\* (F)  
 \_\_\_\_\_ (12) REC 490 Internship in Recreation\*

**Recreation Administration Concentration:** (15 hrs.)  
 \_\_\_\_\_ (3) REC 320 Recreation Seminar\* (F)  
 Select 12 additional credit hours from the following courses:  
 REC 200, 222, 235  
 REC 304, 326, 330, 332, 335, 337  
 REC 420, 422, 424, 426, 428, 430, 434, 437, 439, 460, 482, 484, 496  
 SPM 200, MKT 220, MGT 210, ACCT 200  
 (see other side of this sheet for course names)

**Nonprofit Administration Concentration:** (15 hrs.) take the following:  
 \_\_\_\_\_ (3) REC 320 Recreation Seminar\* (F)  
 \_\_\_\_\_ (3) REC 220 Understanding the Nonprofit Sector  
 \_\_\_\_\_ (3) REC 460 Grant Writing for Nonprofit Organizations  
 \_\_\_\_\_ (3) MKT 220 Basic Marketing Concepts  
 \_\_\_\_\_ (3) MGT 333 Management of Nonprofit Organizations  
 OR \_\_\_\_\_ (3) PS 440 Elements of Public Administration

**Outdoor Recreation Concentration:** (15 hrs.) take the following:  
 \_\_\_\_\_ (3) REC 320 Recreation Seminar\* (F)  
 \_\_\_\_\_ (3) REC 235 Outdoor Recreation Activities  
 OR \_\_\_\_\_ (3) REC 335 Outdoor Skills - Land  
 OR \_\_\_\_\_ (3) REC 337 Outdoor Skills - Water  
 \_\_\_\_\_ (3) REC 330 Foundations of Outdoor Recreation  
 \_\_\_\_\_ (3) REC 332 Outdoor Education  
 \_\_\_\_\_ (3) REC 435 Outdoor Expedition Planning  
 OR \_\_\_\_\_ (3) REC 437 Outdoor Leadership Expedition  
 OR \_\_\_\_\_ (3) REC 439 Challenge Course facilitation  
 OR \_\_\_\_\_ (3) REC 430 Recreation Resource Management  
 OR \_\_\_\_\_ (3) REC 424 Camp & Conference Center Administration  
 OR \_\_\_\_\_ (3) REC 434 Environmental Interpretations

**Facility & Event Mgt. Concentration:** (12 hrs.) take the following:  
 \_\_\_\_\_ (3) REC 320 Recreation Seminar\* (F)  
 \_\_\_\_\_ (3) REC 426 Facility Planning and Design  
 OR \_\_\_\_\_ (3) HMD 375 Meeting & Convention Management  
 \_\_\_\_\_ (3) SPM 450 Sport Law  
 \_\_\_\_\_ (3) MKT 220 Basic Marketing Concepts  
 \_\_\_\_\_ (3) REC 439 Challenge Course Facilitation  
 OR \_\_\_\_\_ (3) REC 420 Commercial Recreation & Tourism  
 OR \_\_\_\_\_ (3) REC 430 Recreation Resource Management  
 OR \_\_\_\_\_ (3) REC 424 Camp & Conference Center Administration

**Total Hours: 120**

(F) Usually Fall only in traditional format; (S) Usually Spring only in trad. format.  
 This is for informational purposes only; all official requirements are in the undergraduate catalog or listed in your iCAP.

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**Study Abroad & Study Away Current Offerings**

**Fly Fishing Montana** <http://www.wku.edu/flyfishing>

Fall Semester 2014 course w/trip to Missoula (Sept 30-Oct 4)

Program cost (\$1,495) includes: 3 full days of fly fishing and instruction (float trips with one guide and 2 anglers/boat), use of fly fishing equipment (rod, reel, etc.), terminal tackle (leader, tippet, flies), guide gratuity, 4 nights lodging, most meals, and Missoula airport hotel shuttle. Transportation to/from Missoula, MT not included in program cost.



**New Zealand: Recreation & Tourism in Middle-Earth**

January 3-18, 2015 <http://www.wku.edu/nz>

On this 16-day educational adventure, students will explore the world's largest industry (leisure & travel) in an amazing place: New Zealand (known to some as Middle-Earth). Through in-country experiential learning, students will be immersed in the 'Recreation, Event, and Tourism industry model.' Course destinations, learning activities, and local experts will be used to help teach content. Students will experience the innovative aspects of the New Zealand leisure/travel industry and connect academic knowledge to professional practice.

Surfing, Kayaking or Stand Up Paddle boarding, Black Water Rafting  
Maori Cultural Tourism, Geothermal Site, Hobbit/LOTR Filming Locations,  
WETA Cave, NZ National Museum, Jet Boating, Milford Sound, Hiking



**Costa Rica: Jewel of Central America**

<http://www.wku.edu/costarica>

This 12-day service adventure features opportunities to traverse rainforests, work with local community organizations, and participate in conservation and environmental studies while discovering the magnificent natural beauty of Costa Rica. (Summer 2015 pending)



**Recreation Administration Course Titles**

(All courses 3 credit hours unless otherwise noted)

**Required Core Courses:**

REC 200 Introduction to Recreation  
REC 302 Recreation Leadership  
REC 306 Program Planning & Evaluation  
REC 320 Recreation Seminar  
REC 328 Inclusive Recreation  
REC 402 Fiscal Practices in Recreation  
REC 404 Recreation Facility Management  
REC 406 Recreation Administration  
REC 490 Internship in Recreation

**Recreation Electives (REC prefix):**

REC 220 Understanding the Nonprofit Sector  
REC 222 Recreation Activity Facilitation  
REC 235 Outdoor Recreation Activities  
REC 330 Foundations of Outdoor Recreation  
REC 332 Outdoor Education  
REC 335 Outdoor Skills-Land  
REC 337 Outdoor Skills-Water  
REC 420 Commercial Recreation and Tourism  
REC 422 Campus Recreation  
REC 424 Camp & Conference Center Administration  
REC 426 Facility Planning and Design  
REC 430 Recreation Resource Management  
REC 434 Environmental Interpretations  
REC 435 Outdoor Expedition Planning  
REC 437 Outdoor Leadership Expedition  
REC 439 Challenge Course Facilitation  
REC 460 Grant Writing for Nonprofit Organizations  
REC 482 Recreation Workshop (1-3)  
REC 484 Advanced Studies in Recreation  
REC 493 Recreation Practicum  
REC 496 Nonprofit Internship

**Recreation Electives (non-REC prefix):**

ACCT 200 Introductory Accounting – Financial  
MGT 210 Organization & Management  
MKT 220 Basic Marketing Concepts  
SPM 200 Intro to Sport Management