BCOMM (HONS) (INTERNATIONAL) WITH ITALIAN - CK207 (FOR STUDENTS WHO ENTERED PRIOR TO 2022/23)

Overview

NFQ Level 8, Major Award

Note: The BComm (Hons) (International) is being replaced by a new degree, the BSc (Hons) (International Business with Languages) (https://ucc-ie-public.courseleaf.com/programmes/bscibl/) on a phased basis, commencing in September 2022.

First Year - Commerce (International) with Italian

First Year is only offered to students who did not progress to Second Year in 2022/23 or 2023/24.

To be admitted to the First University Examination in Commerce (International) with Italian a student must have satisfactorily attended prescribed modules to the value of **60** credits.

In addition to the General Regulations for passing the year, to progress to Year Two of the BComm (Hons) (International) with Italian, students must pass IT1101 (10 credits) or IT1102 (10 credits).

Second Year - Commerce (International) with Italian

Second Year is only offered to students who did not progress to Third Year in 2023/24.

No student may register for the Second Year programme of study until the First University Examination in Commerce (International) with Italian has been passed. Second Year consists of core modules to the value of **35** credits and Language modules to the value of **25** credits from one of the Language subjects. To be admitted to the Second University Examination in Commerce (International) with Italian a student must have satisfactorily attended modules to the value of **60** credits.

In addition to the General Regulations for passing Second Year, to progress to Year 3 of the BComm (Hons) (International) with Italian, students must pass IT2101(10 credits).

Third Year - Commerce (International) with Italian

This full academic year is spent pursuing approved programmes of study in a country of the student's major continental language. Programmes taken will be validated by the host institution. To fulfil requirements for the successful completion of this year, a student must achieve a pass standard, as applied by the host institution, on a set of courses approved by the School of Business, UCC. Marks shall be submitted to the Autumn Examination Board, UCC with a Supplemental Board in Winter. Failed elements of continuous assessment must be re-submitted. Where failed elements are re-submitted, a student will continue his or her studies subject to passing the winter examination board.

Fourth Year - Commerce (International) with Italian

No student may register for the Fourth Year programme of study until they have successfully completed the Third Year of the programme. To be admitted to the BComm (Hons) (International) with Italian Degree Examination, a student must have satisfactorily attended prescribed modules to the value of **60** credits.

Programme Requirements

For information about modules, module choice, options and credit weightings, please go to Programme Requirements (p. 1).

Programme Requirements

Code	Title	Credits
Year 1 - for students who did not progress to Second Year in 2022/23 or 2023/24		
Students take **60** credits as follows - all listed core Commerce modules (**45** credits) and all listed core Italian modules (**15** credits):		
Core Commerce Modules		
AC1102	Financial Accounting	5
EC1202	Economic Reasoning for Business	5
GV1217	Introduction to Political Science	5
IS1105	Business Information Systems	5
LW1108	Introduction to the Legal System	5
LW1109	Introduction to Business Law	5
MA1100	Introductory Mathematics for Business I	5
MG1004	Principles of Management and Organization	5
MG1006	Principles of Marketing in International Environments	5
Core Italian Modules		
Students take **15** credits as follows from Beginners' Italian or Non-Beginners' Italian:		15
Beginners		
IT1101	Introduction to Written and Spoken Italian (10)	
IT1201	Post-Unification Italian Culture and Society (5)	
Non-Beginners		
IT1102	Non-Beginners' Written and Spoken Italian (10)	
IT1201	Post-Unification Italian Culture and Society (5)	
Year 2 - for students who did not progress to Third Year in 2023/24		
Students take **60** credits as follows - all listed core Commerce modules (**35** credits); all listed core Italian modules (**15** credits) and **10** credits of elective Italian modules:		
Core Commerce Modules		
AC2200	Introduction to Management Accounting	5
EC1203	Macroeconomic Context and Business	5
FE2015	Sustainable International Business	5
GV2218	European Government and Politics	5
IS2001	Analytics for International Business	5
MG2005	International Business	5
ST1023	Introduction to Business Statistics	5
Core Italian Modules		
IT2101	Intermediate Italian Language	10
IT2105	Vivere l'Italia/Living Italian Culture and Society	5
Elective Italian Modules		
Students take modules to the value of **10** credits from the following:		10
IT2306	Italo Calvino and the Interpretation of Reality (5)	
IT2309	Italian Crime Narratives (5)	

IT2310	Issues in Contemporary Italian Society through Film and Documentaries (5)	
IT2311	New Italians: Race, Identity and Memory in Contemporary Literature (5)	

Year 3

Students take **60** credits at a host university abroad.	60

Year 4

Students take **60** credits as follows - all listed core modules (**30** credits); **5** credits of elective Italian modules and **25** credits of elective Commerce modules:

Core Commerce Module

BU4001	International Business Strategy Capstone	10

Core Italian Modules

IT3101	Advanced Italian Language [2]	10
IT3103	Business Italian	5
IT3110	Introduction to Translation (Italian to English)	5

Elective Italian Modules

Students take a module to the value of **5** credits from the following:	5

IT3205	Dante, Inferno (5)	
IT3307	Italian Women Writers (5)	
IT3312	Renaissance Virtues and Vices in Italian Early Modern Literature (5)	
IT3316	Dante's Commedia: The Poetic Path to Paradise (5)	
IT3317	Cinematic Representations of the 'anni di piombo' (5)	
IT3318	Unearthly Narratives: Italian Tales of the Fantastic and Apocalyptic (5)	

Elective Commerce Modules

Students take modules to the value of **25** credits from the following:	25

Accounting, Finance and Information Systems Subject Group

AC4406	Accounting in Business (5)	
AC4407	Financial Reporting 1 (5)	
AC4408	Financial Reporting 2 (5)	
IS4445	User Experience Design 1 (5) [2]	
IS4446	User Experience Design 2 (5) [2]	

Business Economics Subject Group

EC2204	Business Microeconomics 1 (5) [3]	
EC2205	Business Microeconomics 2 (5) [3]	
EC2214	The Macroeconomic Environment in a Global Context (5) [4]	
EC2215	Macroeconomic Growth and Competitiveness (5) [4]	
EC4206	Incentives in Firms (5)	
EC4207	Firm Organisation and Behaviour (5)	
EC4211	Economics of the Labour Market (5)	
EC4212	Behavioural Economics in Labour Markets (5)	
EC4215	Business Econometrics 1 (5)	
EC4220	Strategic Economic Consultancy (5)	

Food Business and Development Subject Group

FE4002	Global Food Policy (5)	
FE4008	Food Security and the Developing World (5)	
FE4205	Consumer Behaviour in Food Markets (5)	
FE4206	International Food Retail Marketing (5)	
FE4207	Global Food Supply Chain Management (5)	
FE4405	Food Choice Analysis (5)	
FE4414	Co-operative Banking (5)	
FE4450	International Food Business (5)	

Government Subject Group

GV4401	Global Governance (5)	
GV4415	Contemporary Debates in the EU (5)	
GV4416	European Security (5)	

Law Subject Group

LW2100	Constitutional and Institutional Law of the European Union (5)	
LW2102	Economic Law of the European Union (5)	
LW2205	Commercial Law: The Law of Sale and Agency (5)	
LW2206	Commercial Law: Intellectual Property Law and Finance (5)	
LW3311	Company Law (10)	
LW3312	Employment Law: Contracts, Termination, Collective Labour Law (5) [5]	

Management and Marketing Subject Group

MG2008	Business Ethics and Governance (5)	
MG3013	Marketing Communications (5)	
MG4004	Project Management (5)	
MG4034	Entrepreneurial Business Start-Ups (5)	
MG4035	Strategic Marketing (5)	
MG4037	Operations Management (5)	
MG4041	Business Networks (5)	
MG4042	International Brand Strategy (5)	
MG4043	International Marketing Management (5)	
MG4048	Digital Marketing (5)	

Mathematics and Statistics Subject Group

MA2200	Introductory Mathematics for Business II (5)	
ST2200	Methods of Business Statistics (5)	
ST3300	Data Analysis I (5)	

**Total Credits	240**

[1]	Students must pass IT3101 (10 credits)
[2]	Students taking IS4446 must also register for IS4445. IS4445 can be taken on its own.
[3]	EC2204 is a corequisite for EC2205; if you take EC2205 you must also take EC2204. EC2204 can be taken on its own.
[4]	EC2214 and EC2215 or equivalents may be part requirement for entry to postgraduate programmes in Economics.
[5]	LW3312 is not available to students who have previously passed LW3301.

Examinations

Full details and regulations governing Examinations for each programme will be contained in the *Marks and Standards Book* and for each module in the *Book of Modules*.

Programme Learning Outcomes

Programme Learning Outcomes for BComm (Hons) (International) with Italian (NFQ Level 8, Major Award)

On successful completion of this programme, students should be able to:

- Communicate and work effectively to a professional standard;
- Demonstrate analytical and problem-solving skills associated with effective practice;
- Engage in the application of frameworks and techniques in organisational settings;
- Communicate effectively in Italian;
- Develop an in-depth appreciation of the culture and the environment for business in Italy.