Bachelor of Arts Degree

DRAFT – TW 4/19/13

Tribal Governance and Business Management  
Proposed Program Revision-April 23, 2013

The Bachelor of Arts in Tribal Governance and Business Management will provide students with the knowledge necessary to be productive and successful administrators in tribal community and business organizations. The program is designed to develop the skills that support tribal governance and business management. The program of study offers students with the fundamental knowledge and experience necessary to succeed in the areas of leadership, sovereignty, economic development, entrepreneurship, and management.

FOUR YEAR OPTION – This Option is for students who have not earned an approved Associate in Arts and Sciences or the equivalent.

NORTHWEST INDIAN COLLEGE REQUIREMENTS

CMPS 101 Introduction to Computers, or above (TE) 3

HMDV 110 Introduction to Successful Learning (NE) 4

CMST 101 or 210 or 220 Intro to Oral Communication or Interpersonal Communications or Public Speaking (CS) ...................4

TOTAL NORTHWEST INDIAN COLLEGE REQUIREMENTS............................................................................................... 11

NORTHWEST INDIAN COLLEGE FOUNDATIONAL REQUIREMENTS

CSOV 101 Introduction to Cultural Sovereignty (HT) 5

CSOV 102 The Language of our Ancestors (HT) 5

CSOV 120 Reclaiming Our History (SS) 5

CSOV 130 Icons of Our Past (HT) 5

ECON 250 Subsistence Economies: Restoring Prosperity (SS) 5

EDUC 202 The Tide Has Changed: Educating Our Own (SS) 5

POLS 225 History of Federal Indian Policy (SS) 5

TOTAL NORTHWEST INDIAN FOUNDATIONAL REQUIREMENTS........................................................................................ 35

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS

ENGL 101 English Composition I (CS) 5

ENGL 102 or 202 English Composition II or Technical Writing (CS) 5

MATH 107 Elementary Statistics I (QS) 5

Humanities – All 15 credits required met in Foundational Requirements 0

Social Sciences – All 15 credits required met Foundational Requirements 0

Natural Sciences – see General Direct Transfer requirements for Natural Science 15

**TOTAL GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS 30**

CORE PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS

CMPS 116 Microsoft Office I 3

BUAD 202 Business Law 5

BUAD 212 Financial Accounting 5

BUAD 235 Managerial Accounting 5

ECON 203 Contemporary Tribal Economics 5

POLS 350 Native Governments and Politics 5

TGBM 310 Human Resources Management in Native Communities 5

TGBM 315 Project Management 5

TGBM 330 Grant Management 5

TGBM 350 Hospitality and Casino Marketing 5

TGBM 410 Finance: A Practice for Individual and Community Asset Building 5

TGBM 420 Citizen Entrepreneurship 5

TGBM 440 Structure and Organization of Tribal Governance 5

TGBM 499A Capstone Project (To be taken within two quarters of completion) 5

TGBM 499B Capstone Project (To be taken within two quarters of completion) 5

**TOTAL CORE TRIBAL GOVERNANCE AND BUSINESS REQUIREMENTS 73**

TRIBAL GOVERNANCE AND BUSINESS CONCENTRATION REQUIREMENTS

Students may choose from the concentration areas listed below to complete elective courses for graduation requirements. These courses may satisfy general education requirements and may also lead toward a concentration area. Please work with your advisor to determine the appropriate concentration for your area of interest. Students who do not select a concentration area will need to choose at least 31 elective credits, a minimum of 10 which must be 300 – 499 level courses.

CONCENTRATION AREAS

Tribal Casino Management

* HRCM 111 Introduction to Casino Management 5 Credits
* HRCM 285 Leadership and Financial Management 3 Credits

Tribal Entrepreneurship

* BUAD 121 Personal & Small Business Finance 3 Credits
* BUAD 135 Small Business Management 3 Credits

Public and Tribal Administration

* PTAD 210 Principles of Planning 3 Credits
* PTAD 220 Public Policy Process 3 Credits
* PTAD 230 Tribal Organizational Theory and Development 3 Credits

ELECTIVE REQUIREMENTS Credits earned from additional concentration and elective courses to total at least 31

TOTAL DEGREE REQUIREMENTS........................................................................................................................................... 180

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TRANSFER OPTION – This Option is for students who have earned an approved Associate in Arts and Sciences or the equivalent. Transfer students may apply 90 credits from an approved transfer degree toward completion of the requirements for completion of the Bachelor of Arts in Tribal Governance and Business Management. The following describes the coursework for the remaining 90 credits required for completion of the program of study.

TRANSFER CREDITS

**TOTAL TRANSFER CREDITS 90**

CORE PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS

CSOV 300 Foundational Core Transfer Seminar 5

CMPS 116 Microsoft Office I 3

BUAD 202 Business Law 5

BUAD 212 Financial Accounting 5

BUAD 235 Managerial Accounting 5

ECON 203 Contemporary Tribal Economics 5

POLS 350 Native Governments and Politics 5

TGBM 310 Human Resources Management in Native Communities 5

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TGBM 440 Structure and Organization of Tribal Governance 5

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**TOTAL CORE TRIBAL GOVERNANCE AND BUSINESS REQUIREMENTS ~~73~~ 78**

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TOTAL DEGREE REQUIREMENTS........................................................................................................................................... 180