

Bethel University, College of Arts & Sciences Accredited Business Programs

ACBSP Business Programs Accreditation

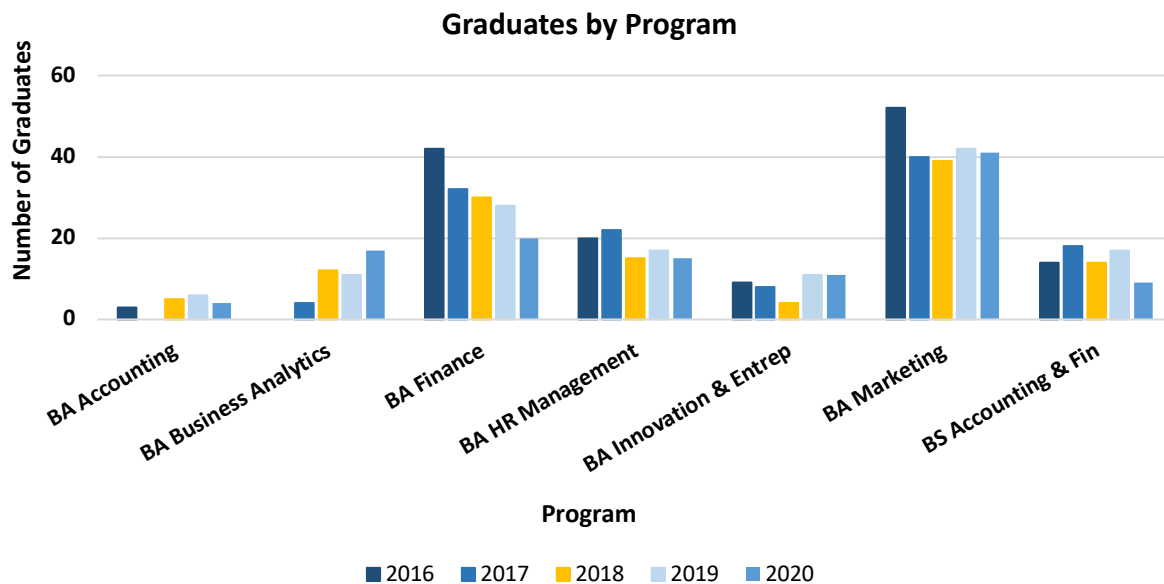
Founded in 1988, the Accreditation Council for Business Schools and Programs (ACBSP) is a global business education accrediting body with 1200 members in 60 countries. They are the only accreditation organization to offer accreditations at all levels of collegiate business educational degree programs, from associate to doctoral.



ACBSP ignites a standard of excellence with an accreditation process based on the Baldrige Education Criteria for Performance Excellence. By evaluating aspects of a business program's leadership, strategic planning, quality of academic programs, faculty credentials, educational support, and relationship with stakeholders, ACBSP assesses a business program's ability to offer a rigorous educational experience, and commit to continuous quality improvement. The goal is to ensure that students gain the skills employers want from their educational investment.

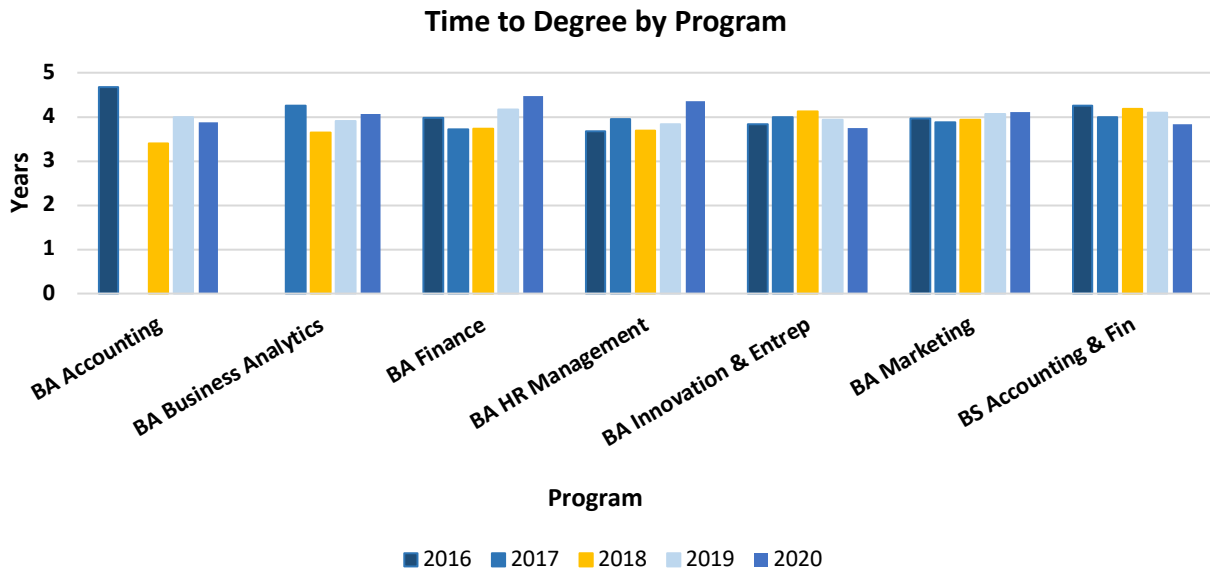
Business Programs Graduates—Bethel University, College of Arts & Sciences

Accredited programs in the Department of Business produce approximately 20% of the graduates at Bethel University's College of Arts & Sciences. Following is a breakdown of graduates by program.



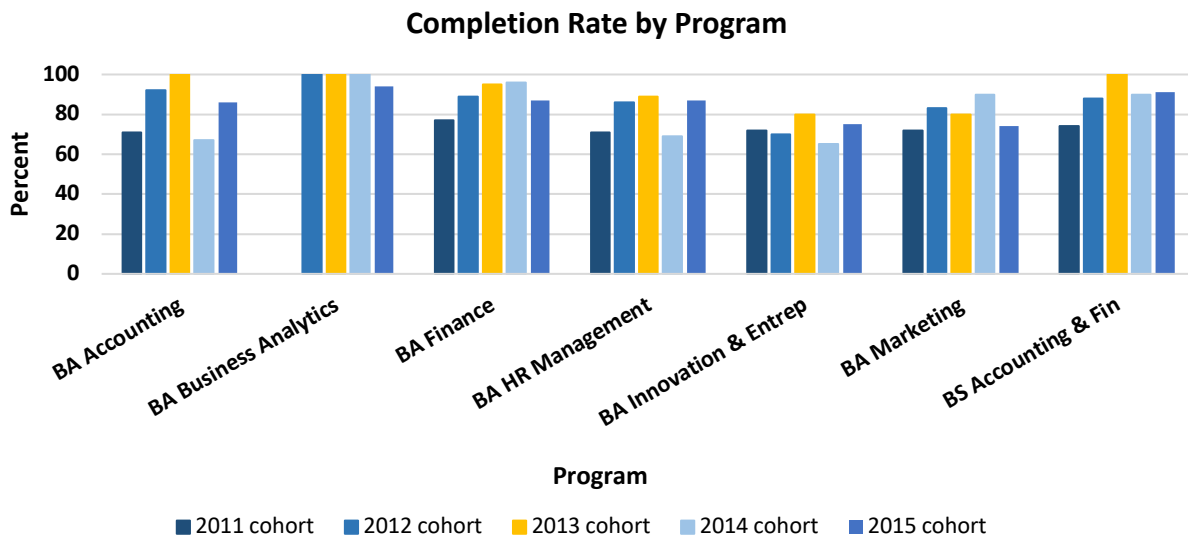
Business Programs Time to Degree—Bethel University, College of Arts & Sciences

The average time to degree for Bethel business program graduates is 3.9 years from 2016 to 2020.



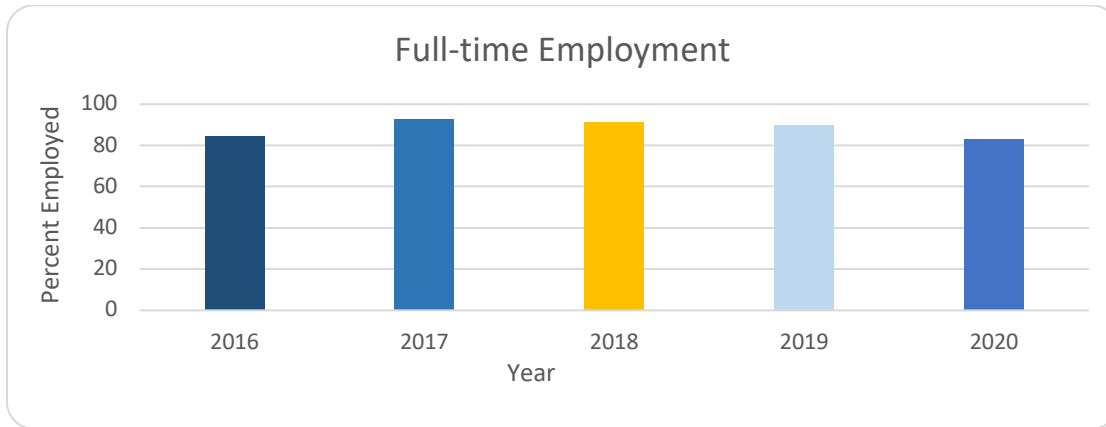
Business Programs Completion Rate—Bethel University, College of Arts & Sciences

Business student completion rate is nearly 78 percent. Completion rate is defined as completing a degree program at Bethel University within six years. The overall national completion rate, for the Fall 2014 cohort group who completed their degree at their starting four-year institution was 60.1 percent, according to the National Student Clearinghouse Research Center in December 2020.



Employment of Business Program Graduates—Bethel University, College of Arts & Sciences

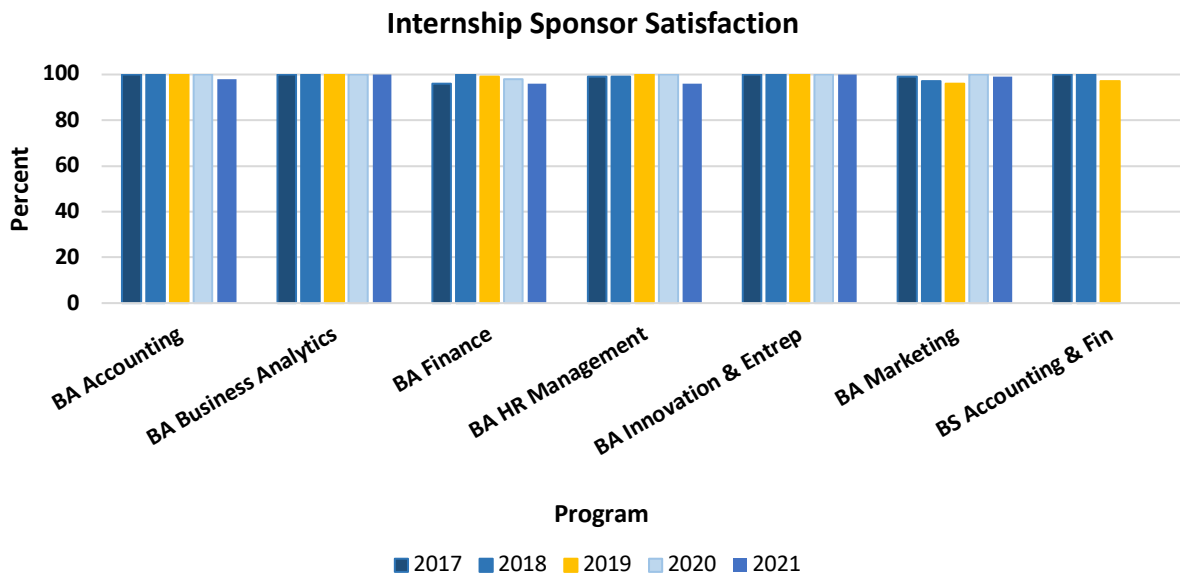
In surveys of alumni one year after graduation, an average of 88 percent of Bethel business program graduates reported being employed full-time over a five-year period.



(Source: Bethel Alumni Surveys – 2020 percentage includes 6% self-employed)

Internship Sponsor Satisfaction—Bethel University, College of Arts & Sciences

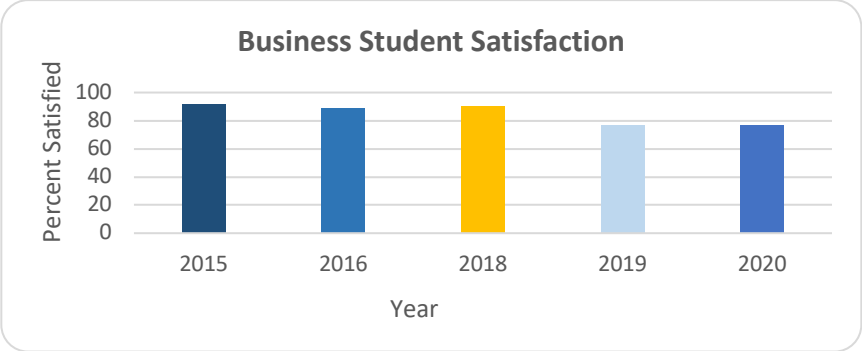
Internship sponsors report nearly 100 percent satisfaction with business student interns.



(Source: Bethel Department of Business Internship Surveys, Spring 2020 not documented in 2020 data due to COVID-19 pandemic)

Business Student Satisfaction—Bethel University, College of Arts & Sciences

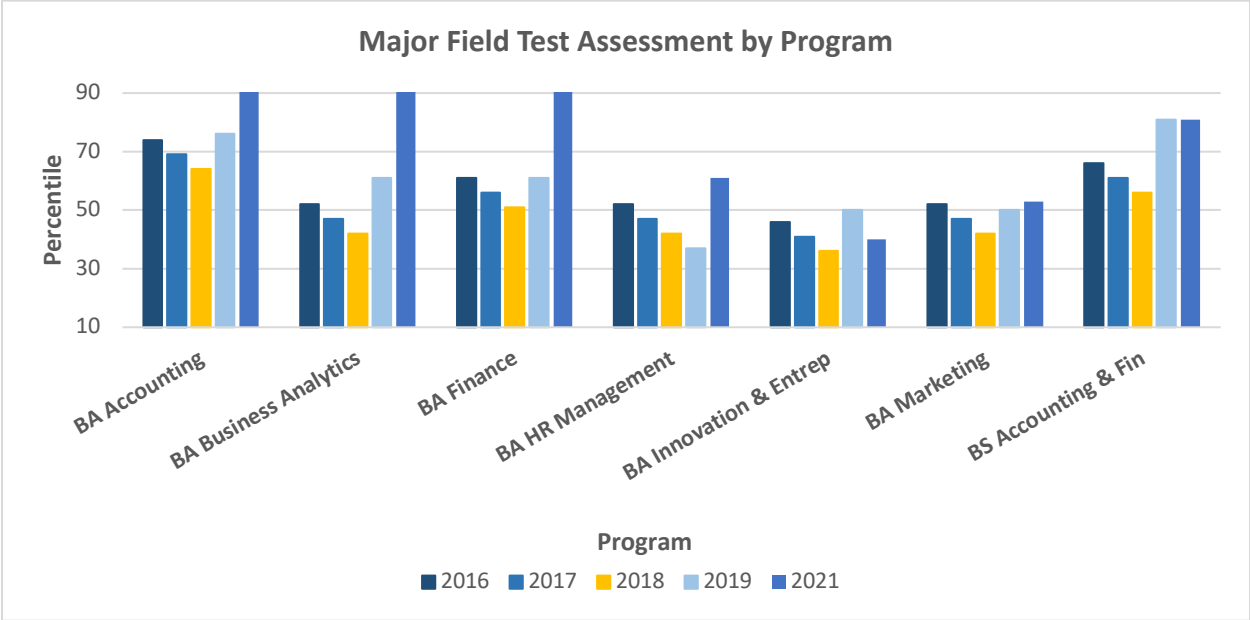
Business students reported an average of 85 percent overall satisfaction with educational experiences within their business major over a five-year period.



(Source: Bethel Campus Life Surveys; survey was not administered in 2017.)

Business Major Field Test Assessment—Bethel University, College of Arts & Sciences

Aggregate scores on the 2021 Business Major Field Test, a comprehensive test of business knowledge, place Bethel business graduates in the 83rd percentile when compared with those from other colleges and universities. Following is a breakdown by program.



(Test was not administered in 2020 due to COVID-19 pandemic)