

# Insurance

Are you interested in a variety of positions in the insurance and risk management industry? This degree will prepare you for a career in the insurance industry; furthermore, you may begin a degree program and ladder to a bachelor degree in a seamless fashion.

## Skills and Competencies

This program will prepare you with skill and experiences that will assist you in functioning as a consumer in today's modern society, and to provide an educational foundation that will readily allow you to continue your education, now or in the future.

## Course Work

This degree includes the following courses as part of the program requirements, and specific major requirements along with general education and graduation requirements.

### Business Preparation

- ACT230 Principles of Accounting I (4 cr.)
- ACT240 Principles of Accounting II (4 cr.)
- CIS222 Quantitative Business Problem Solving
- EC201 Microeconomic Principles (4 cr.)
- MGT121 Introduction to Business (4 cr.)
- MGT221 Business Law I: Legal Environment of Business (4 cr.)
- MKT230 Introduction to Marketing (4 cr.)

### Insurance Preparation

- FIN201 Introduction to Risk Management (4 cr.)
- FIN224 Personal Financial Management (4 cr.)
- MGT215 Entrepreneurship (4 cr.) or  
MGT240 Organizational Behavior and Management (4 cr.)

### General Education

- EN111 College Composition I (4 cr.)
- EN211 College Composition II (4 cr.)
- MA113 Finite Mathematics (4 cr.)
- PSY100 Introduction to Psychology (4 cr.)
- SO101 Introductory Sociology (4 cr.)
- General Education Elective (4 cr.)

*Detailed course descriptions can be found at [www.nmu.edu/bulletin](http://www.nmu.edu/bulletin).*

## Career Development

You should begin the resume-building process as soon as you can. The Academic and Career Advisement Center can assist you with career planning, while Career Services will help you fine tune your resume and look for jobs related to your field. In the meantime, the more hands-on experience you have, the better the chances are that you will find a job. Becoming involved in a professional related internship is a way to develop your professional skills and gain experience. Your academic course work is important as well, so be sure to maintain a high grade point average.

## Additional Considerations

Utilizing the business core classes to meet individual student foundation and skill-set. This program allows you to become specialized and focused with a Business Associates Degree.

## Job Outlook

Career opportunities with this degree are numerous and high in demand. Refer to the Bureau of Labor Statistics for accurate data. [www.bls.gov](http://www.bls.gov)

## Potential Careers

NMU's Insurance Program prepares students for employment in a variety of career opportunities.

Contact the department today to inquire about potential options!

## Additional Resources and Information

For Career Planning and Opportunities:  
Academic & Career Advisement Center  
3302.1 C.B. Hedgcock  
906-227-2971  
103 Jacobetti Complex  
906-227-2283  
[www.nmu.edu/acac](http://www.nmu.edu/acac)

College of Business  
301 Cohodas Hall  
906-227-2960  
[www.nmu.edu/business](http://www.nmu.edu/business)

For Job Search, Resume and Career Information:  
Career Services  
3302.3 C.B. Hedgcock  
906-227-2800  
[www.nmu.edu/careers](http://www.nmu.edu/careers)

For Information about NMU Student Organizations Associated with this Major Contact:  
Center for Student Enrichment  
1206 University Center  
906-227-2439  
[www.nmu.edu/cse](http://www.nmu.edu/cse)

Internet Resource Links:  
[www.careers.org](http://www.careers.org)  
[www.bls.gov](http://www.bls.gov)

For Career Information with National Organizations:  
[www.iaap-hp.org](http://www.iaap-hp.org) - International Association of Administrative Professionals



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