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DNP: Nursing Administration Systems (NAS) The DNP: Nursing Administration Systems is a doctoral program for Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN or Higher) level graduates desiring a specialty in Nursing Administration Systems. The program was designed using the Essentials of Doctoral Education for Advanced Nursing Practice specified by the American Association of Colleges of Nursing (AACN). The DNP: Nursing Administration Systems curriculum consists of DNP core courses and specialty courses in Nursing Administration Systems. As a component of the DNP, the student will develop and implement an evidence-based innovative translational project that could solve a significant health-care problem. Students will also complete additional clinical requirements to meet the mandated 1,000 hours of specialty training that is one of the distinctions of a DNP graduate.

Master of Business Administration Option The DNP: Nursing Administration Systems allows students interested to continue and complete the Master of Business Administration (MBA). Following the required DNP program of study, students can enroll in the College of Business to complete their MBA and can count up to 15 hours of the DNP: Nursing Administration Systems business courses toward their MBA degree. Students interested in this option must complete the DNP: Nursing Administration Systems program of study and then apply to the College of Business to complete the remaining MBA courses.

*Bolded course taught by the School of Business

Translational Project

The Translational Project is an in-depth and integrative experience that results in a practice-related written project that exemplifies how evidence can be used to change or improve practice or outcomes for patients, families, populations, and/or health care systems. This project is a translation of current research into a final product. Coursework within the DNP program supports the various Translational Project components. The DNP Qualifying Examination will be the student's successful defense of the DNP Translational Project Proposal. The student must present their final project once it is complete.

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Spring	NURS 7010 - Evidence-Based Practice and Nursing Systems (3 hours)
	NURS 7030 - Meeting Population Demands Through Biostatistics (3 hours)
	NURS 7091 – Translational Project I (1 hour)
Summer	NURS 7000 – Philosophic Underpinnings for Nursing Practice (3 hours)
	NURS 7050 – Leadership in Complex Health Care Systems (3 hours)- full semester
	NURS 7092 - Translational Project II (1 hour)
Fall	NURS 7020 – Epidemiology and Health Requisites of Populations (3 hours)
	NURS 7040 - Technology and Transformation of Health Care (3 hours)
	NURS 7093 – Translational Project III (1 hour)
Spring	NURS 7060 - Health Care Policy and Economics (3 hours) - full semester
2021	NURS 7070 – Translational Evidence-Based Residency I (3 hours)
	*PMBA 5860 - Marketing Management (3 hours) - full semester
Summer	NURS 7080 – Translational Evidence-Based Residency II (6 hours)
	PMBA 5250 - Organizational Behavior & Leadership (3 hours) Term 1 or 2
Fall	NURS 7094 – Translational Project IV (3 hours)
	NURS 5310 - Advanced Resource Management (3 hours)
	*PMBA 5820 - Financial Management (3 hours) - full semester
Spring	NURS 7300 – Essentials of Healthcare Administration (3 hours) – full semester
2022	*PMBA 5810 - Information Technology for Business (3 hours) - full semester
	*PMBA 5880 - Entrepreneurship and New Venture (3 hours)