



This course plan is a recommended sequence for this major. Courses designated as critical (!) may have a deadline for completion and/or affect time to graduation. Please see the Program Notes section for details regarding "critical courses" for this particular Program of Study.

| Critical | Course Subject and Title | Credit Hours | Min. Grade ¹ | Major GPA ² | Code | Prerequisites | Notes |
|--|--|--------------|-------------------------|------------------------|------------------|---|-------|
| Semester One (15-17 Credit Hours) | | | | | | | |
| | ENGL 101 Critical Reading and Composition | 3 | C | | CC-CMW | | |
| | Carolina Core ARP Requirement | 3-4 | | | CC-ARP | | |
| | Foreign Language ³ or other Carolina Core Requirement ⁴ | 3-4 | | | CC-GFL | | |
| | HTMT 110 Introduction to Hospitality Industry | 3 | C | | MR | | |
| | UNIV 101 The Student in the University or Carolina Core Requirement ⁴ | 3 | | | PR/CC | | |
| Semester Two (15-16 Credit Hours) | | | | | | | |
| | ENGL 102 Rhetoric and Composition | 3 | C | | CC-CMW CC-INF | C or better in ENGL 101 | |
| | Carolina Core ARP Requirement | 3-4 | | | CC-ARP | | |
| | Foreign Language ³ or other Carolina Core Requirement ⁴ | 3 | | | CC-GFL | | |
| | HTMT 260 Hotel Management | 3 | C | | MR | | |
| | Carolina Core CMS Requirement | 3 | | | CC-CMS | | |
| Semester Three (16-17 Credit Hours) | | | | | | | |
| | RETL 242 HRSM Professional Communications | 3 | C | | CR | C or better in ENGL 101 & 102 | |
| | HRSM 101 HRSM Professional Development Career Exploration Seminar | 1 | C | | PR | | |
| | ECON 224 Introduction to Economics | 3 | | | PR | | |
| | HTMT 270 Introduction to Food Production Management | 3 | C | | MR | | |
| | RETL 261 Principles of Accounting I | 3 | C | | CR | | |
| | Carolina Core Requirement ⁴ | 3-4 | | | CC | | |
| Semester Four (15-16 Credit Hours) | | | | | | | |
| | HTMT 280 Foundations of Tourism | 3 | C | | MR | | |
| | RETL 262 Principles of Accounting II | 3 | C | | CR | RETL 261 | |
| | SPTE 274 Computer Applications in HRSM | 3 | C | | CR | | |
| | Carolina Core Requirement ⁴ | 3 | | | CC | | |
| | Carolina Core Requirement ⁴ | 3-4 | | | CC | | |
| Semester Five (13 Credit Hours) | | | | | | | |
| | HTMT 285 Club Management | 3 | C | | MR | | |
| | HRSM 201 HRSM Professional Development Seminar | 1 | C | | CR | C or better in HRSM 101, passing grade in SPTE 195, or enrollment in the BAIS-Services Management major | |
| | HTMT Elective ⁵ | 3 | C | | MR | | |
| | MGMT 371 Principles of Management | 3 | | | PR | | |
| | Carolina Core Requirement ⁴ or Elective ⁶ | 3 | | | CC/PR | | |
| Semester Six (12 Credit Hours) | | | | | | | |
| | HTMT Club Mgmt. Concentration Course ⁷ | 3 | C | | MR | | |
| | HRSM 301 HRSM Advanced Professional Development Seminar | 1 | C | | CR | C or better in HRSM 201 | |
| | HTMT 344 Human Resource Management in Hospitality, Retail, and Sport Management | 3 | C | | CR | | |
| | HTMT Elective ⁵ | 3 | C | | MR | | |
| | Carolina Core Requirement ⁴ or Elective ⁶ | 3 | | | CC/PR | | |
| Summer (6 Credit Hours) | | | | | | | |
| | HTMT 495 Hospitality & Tourism Internship ⁸ | 6 | C | | MR | C or better in HTMT 344 & HTMT 110 or 280 | |
| Semester Seven (15 Credit Hours) | | | | | | | |
| | HTMT Club Mgmt. Concentration Course ⁷ | 3 | C | | MR | | |
| | HTMT 421 Hospitality Financial Management | 3 | C | | MR | RETL 262 | |
| | HTMT 440 Services Mgmt. for Hospitality & Tourism | 3 | C | | MR | | |
| | HTMT 370 Restaurant Operations Management or HTMT 372 Catering Management | 3 | C | | MR | C or better in HTMT 270 | |
| | SPTE 240 Business Law | 3 | C | | CR | | |
| Semester Eight (12 Credit Hours) | | | | | | | |
| | HTMT 450 Hospitality & Tourism Marketing | 3 | C | | MR | Junior Standing | |
| | HTMT 490 Strategic Hospitality Management & Leadership | 3 | C | | MR/CC-INT | C or better in MGMT 371 | |
| | HTMT Elective ⁵ | 3 | C | | MR | | |
| | Carolina Core Requirement ⁴ or Elective ⁶ | 3 | | | CC/PR | | |

Graduation Requirements Summary

| Minimum Total Hours | Minimum Major Requirements Hours | College & Program Requirements Hours | Carolina Core Hours | Minimum Institutional GPA |
|---------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------|
| 120 | 51 | 27-39 | 31-43 | 2.00 |

- Regardless of individual course grades, students must maintain a minimum 2.00 cumulative GPA.
- Some colleges require a minimum GPA for major courses. Courses indicated in this column are included in the major GPA for this program of study.
- College of HRSM students must demonstrate proficiency in a foreign language by achieving a score of 2 or higher on the foreign language placement test, or credit equivalent to USC 109 and 110 courses, or credit equivalent to the USC 121 course.
- The [Carolina Core](#) provides the common core of knowledge, skill and academic experience for all Carolina undergraduate students.
- HTMT Electives are chosen in consultation with an advisor who can provide a list of recommended courses by focus area. At least 6 hours must be from HTMT.
- The Hospitality Management major curriculum includes 0-11 hours of approved electives, depending on how students fulfill the Carolina Core requirements. Any course in the University can be used to satisfy the elective requirement including additional electives in the major.
- Club Management Concentration Courses (6 hours)

| Choose from the following: | |
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| HTMT 473 – Club Cuisine and Service (3) | HTMT 585 – Advanced Club Management (3) |
| HTMT 475 – Wines and Spirits in Food Service Establishments (3) | HTMT 591 – Golf Tourism (3) |

- Structured industry practical experience in Club Management. 400 hours required. Students may complete up to an additional 9 credit hours while completing HTMT 495.

Program Notes:

- All undergraduate students must take a 3-credit course or its equivalent with a passing grade that covers the founding documents. This course may fulfill any requirement in the program of study. Courses that meet this requirement are listed in the academic bulletin.
- Minors are optional for Hospitality Management majors and may be in any course of study offered by the College of HRSM as well as any other University program with an approved minor. College of HRSM required courses may not be counted toward a minor.
- The last 30 credit hours toward your degree must be earned in residence at the University of South Carolina-Columbia.

University Requirements: Bachelor's degree-seeking students must meet Carolina Core (general education) requirements. For more information regarding these requirements, please visit the [Carolina Core](#) page on the University website.

| Codes: | | | |
|---------------|--|---------------|---|
| CC | Carolina Core | CC-INF | Carolina Core – Information Literacy |
| CC-AIU | Carolina Core-Aesthetic and Interpretive Understanding | CC-INT | Carolina Core – Integrative Course |
| CC-ARP | Carolina Core-Analytical Reasoning and Problem-Solving | CC-SCI | Carolina Core – Scientific Literacy |
| CC-CMS | Carolina Core-Effective, Engaged, and Persuasive Communication: Spoken Component | CC-VSR | Carolina Core – Values, Ethics, and Social Responsibility |
| CC-CMW | Effective, Engaged, and Persuasive Communication: Written Component | CR | College Requirement |
| CC-GFL | Carolina Core-Global Citizenship and Multicultural Understanding: Foreign Language | MR | Major Requirement |
| CC-GHS | Carolina Core – Historical Thinking | PR | Program Requirement |
| CC-GSS | Carolina Core – Social Sciences | | |

Disclaimer: Major maps are only a suggested or recommended sequence of courses required in a program of study. Please contact your academic advisor for assistance in the application of specific coursework to a program of study and course selection and planning for upcoming semesters.