

Pacific Lutheran University Catalog 2018-19 Clarifications as of 4/5/2019

Changes are marked by underlines, strikethroughs, and highlights

Corrected course range Music undergraduate curriculum page:

Major in Financial Mathematics

K-12 Instrumental (Orchestra Emphasis)

- Music Core (33)
- Ensembles (8)
 - o Choose from large ensemble: MUSI 370-371, 380 (8)
- Applied Lessons (16)
 - o Choose from: MUSI 202-219, 402-491 (5) 419
 - o MUSI 499: Capstone: Senior Project (recital) (2)

Corrected course level in Nordic Studies description

Language

16 semester hours of Norwegian, or demonstrated proficiency in listening, speaking, reading, and writing at the 201 202 level in another Nordic language.

Corrected title of CAS requirement to the appropriate, approved language:

"College of Arts & Sciences Language Requirement"

Corrected links for CCNE accreditation for Nursing UG and GR levels:

www.aacn.nche.edu/ccne-accreditation_http://www.ccneaccreditation.org

Remove mentions of ADN to BSN program from Nursing catalog.

• A.D.N. to B.S.N. Sequence:

Students must successfully complete Biology 201, 205 and 206; Chemistry 105; Psychology 101 and 320; and Statistics 231 with a minimum cumulative GPA of 3.00 on a 4.00 scale before beginning the nursing program.

Prerequisite and corequisite courses

- BIOL 201: Introductory Microbiology
- BIOL 205: Human Anatomy and Physiology I
- BIOL 206: Human Anatomy and Physiology II
- CHEM 105: Chemistry of Life
- PSYC 101: Introduction to Psychology
- PSYC 320: Development Across the Lifespan
- STAT 231: Introductory Statistics

All the above named courses are offered by academic departments other than the School of Nursing, and are administered by those respective departments in regard to scheduling, evaluation, grading and other matters. Prerequisite and corequisite courses taken off-campus must be approved for equivalency with PLU courses. Applicants are encouraged to review the School of Nursing "Comparable Course Guide," which shows courses at Washington State colleges and universities that fulfill nursing course requirements (available at www.plu.edu/nursing/). Applicants must submit course descriptions and syllabi for courses completed out of state and/or that do not appear on the comparable course guide. The PLU Registrar evaluates all transcripts and is the only department that approves credits for transfer to Pacific Lutheran University. However, the School of Nursing determines whether or not a course will fulfill the nursing prerequisite requirement. To be awarded a B.S.N. degree, all students must meet both nursing and university requirements.

B.S.N. Sequence for Licensed Registered Nurses

The B.S.N. sequence for licensed registered nurses is currently on hiatus. The School of Nursing will not be accepting applications during the 2018-19 academic year.

The A.D.N. to B.S.N. program begins with the foundation of the knowledge, skills and experience of the registered nurse and builds an expanded framework for advanced nursing practice in today's health care delivery systems. This program is designed for the registered nurse with at least one year of direct care nursing experience.

Upon successful completion of the B.S.N. degree with a cumulative 3.00 PLU grade point average, and successful completion of the Graduate Record Exam (GRE), the student may begin an expedited application process for the M.S.N. program. Admission to the M.S.N. program at PLU is neither implied nor guaranteed. (See Graduate and Post-Baccalaureate Programs section of this catalog.)

Prerequisite Courses

- BIOL 201: Introductory Microbiology (4)
- BIOL 205: Human Anatomy and Physiology I (4)
- BIOL 206: Human Anatomy and Physiology II (4)

- CHEM 105: Chemistry of Life (4)
- PSYC 101: Introduction to Psychology (4)
- PSYC 320: Development Across the Lifespan (4)
- STAT 231: Introductory Statistics (4)

Prerequisite General Education Courses

- Fine Arts: Art, Music or Theatre (4)
- Literature (4)
- Philosophy (excludes logic or critical thinking courses) (4)
- Physical Education: Four different activity courses, including PHED 100 (4)
- Social Sciences (SO) (excludes psychology) (4)
- Writing (4)

For consideration for admission, applicants must have:

- Achieved a minimum (undergraduate) cumulative GPA of 3.00 on a 4.00 scale for admission to the undergraduate study and continuation to graduate study.
- Completed each nursing prerequisite course with a minimum GPA of 2.00 on a 4.00 scale; cumulative GPA average in all prerequisites and co-requisite courses must be a minimum of 2.75 on a 4.00 scale.
- Achieved senior class status, (accumulation of 96 semester hours or 144 quarter hours) with a minimum of eight in transferable upper-division hours.
- Obtained unrestricted licensure as a registered nurse in the state of Washington.

For continuation to graduate study, completion of the M.S.N. application process is required with a 3.00 GPA or better in all PLU coursework and approval of the dean.

B.S.N. Course of Study for A.D.N. Prepared Registered Nurses

(For M.S.N. course sequence, go to the Graduate and Post-Baccalaureate Programs section of this catalog.)

Prior to first semester in program

Religious Studies 3xx (upper-division only) (4)

First Semester

- NURS 365: Culturally Congruent Healthcare (4)
- NURS 399: Professional Portfolio Workshop (4)
- NURS 420: Introduction to Leadership and Management (4)
- NURS 430: Nursing Situations with Communities (5)

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Religious Studies 3xx (upper division only) (4) (if not taken prior to the program)

Second Semester

NURS 360: Nursing Research and Informatics (4)

- NURS 399: Professional Portfolio Workshop (4) (if not taken in the first semester)
- NURS 460: Health Care Systems and Policy (2)
- NURS 499: Capstone: Nursing Synthesis (6)

Updated, for a second time, the accreditation information in the MSN section to match the accreditation information in the UG section

Membership

School of Nursing is a member of the American Association of Colleges of Nursing (AACN) and the National League for Nursing (NLN).

Washington State Approval

The School of Nursing is approved by the Washington State Nursing Care Quality Assurance Commission.

Accreditation

The baccalaureate degree in nursing at Pacific Lutheran University is accredited by the Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education (http://www.ccneaccreditation.org).

Corrected HIST 215 to HIST 103 in the Global Studies minor, in accordance with a numbering change that History made to this course last year.

Minor

20 semester hours

GLST/ANTH/HIST 210: Global Perspectives – The World in Change (4)

Select one course from the following:

ANTH 102: Intro to Human Cultural Diversity (4)

ECON 111: Principles of Microeconomics: Global and Environmental (4)

HIST 215: Modern World History (4)

HIST 103: Conflicts & Convergences in the Modern World (4)

Three courses in one concentration, including the required course for that concentration, and at least two must be at the 300 level or higher.