 degree candidacy + prerequisites = upper-division business classes
for students applying for degree candidacy the first day of the fall 2020 semester and beyond

what is degree candidacy?
Degree Candidacy is the first step for students that have been admitted to Price College to begin upper-division business courses. Degree Candidacy requires a high level of academic performance. Listed below are the criteria. In addition to achieving Degree Candidacy, students must complete all prerequisite courses before beginning 3000-level business classes.

DEGREE CANDIDACY
• Must be a declared business major
  A 2.75 OU and Combined Overall Retention GPA is required to declare a business major
• Must have an overall OU 2.50 GPA or higher
• Must have an overall Combined 2.50 GPA or higher
• Must have a 3.00 GPA in these courses (two transfer classes are allowed)
• Any student with 3 or more transfer Degree Candidacy classes must earn 3.20 GPA.

ACCT 2113  Fundamental Financial Accounting
BC 2813  Business Communications
ECON 1113  Principles of Economics - Macro
ECON 1123  Principles of Economics - Micro
ECON 2843  Elements of Statistics
MIS 2113  Computer-Based Info Systems

All attempts (cumulative GPAs) are used.
Students must repeat any D’s or F’s in the Degree Candidacy courses.
University policy forbids students to repeat courses in which an A or a B is earned.

how to apply
• Apply for Degree Candidacy in the semester you are taking your last Degree Candidacy course(s)
• Refer to price.ou.edu > Quicklinks > “Apply for Degree Candidacy” for application deadlines

prerequisites
Students must also complete the following prerequisites to enroll in upper-division business courses:

☐ ENGL 1113 English Composition I
☐ ENGL/EXPO 1213 English Composition II or Expository Writing
☐ MATH 1743 Calculus I for Business, Life, and Social Science
☐ ACCT 2123 Fundamental Managerial Accounting
☐ B AD 1001 PC Productivity Tools

☐ Must earn 60 credit hours (Junior Classification)
☐ Must maintain overall OU 2.50 GPA
☐ Must maintain overall Combined 2.50 GPA

If you do not qualify and want to petition for Degree Candidacy, then visit our web page for more information.

http://www.ou.edu/content/price/studentresources/academic_advising/degrecandidacy.html

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