

BBA Actuarial Studies

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PROGRAM KEY POINTS

- Instruction from faculty with industry experience and research backgrounds ensures students receive current and relevant insights.
- Courses cover essential topics such as probability, statistics, financial mathematics, and actuarial science principles.

FOUR-YEAR CAREER MAP ADVISORY

- Accompanying the Career Milestones, please use the Academic Degree Program Maps link that offers suggested four-year course combinations and prerequisites based on the undergraduate annual catalog year you started at QC.
- All underlined content in this document acts as a **hyperlink** to important resources for your guidance. Access these links by using the command (*ctrl + click*) or if you are using the printed version, please scan the QR codes across this document to access all links provided.

Review your academic program maps to align it with your

- career milestone map.



ACADEMIC MAP



CAREER MAP



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Freshman

FALL

Career Milestones	Done
Access Handshake QC *	
Create a Draft Resume	
Review Courses for the Major	
Join a Student Club on campus	
Attend the Career Center's Meet and Greet Orientation *	
Take the Focus2 career assessment	

SPRING

Career Milestones	Done
Create a LinkedIn Account	
Explore career options for Actuarial majors	
Schedule an appointment on QC Navigate with an advisor (career, academic and/or faculty) *	
Join student actuarial clubs and organizations such as SOA , CAS , IAA , and etc.	
Attend Career Center's workshops	
Participate in a virtual work experience program	

Sophomore

FALL

Career Milestones	Done
Update your Handshake QC profile and interests *	
Develop a network of contact through LinkedIn	
Build out and formulate an effective resume	
Start building your quantitative statistic probability skills	
Apply for actuarial related summer internships	
Attend Professional Development Workshops	

SPRING

Career Milestones	Done
Identify a mentor and check-in periodically	
Develop a portfolio of actuarial projects	
Sharpen your math-solving & compete against peers	
Join professional organizations. Attend on campus and external career fairs, local meetings, conferences and seminars	
Learn statistical tools like SPSS , R , Stata , Tableau , SQL ...	
Engage in an actuarial mentorship program	



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Junior

FALL

Career Milestones	Done
Update resume to be more succinct and industry ready	
Utilize LinkedIn and resources such as The Vault	
Apply for internships on HandshakeQC , Spring Forward, Career Launch , CUNY Tech Prep , LifeSci NYC , etc.	
Take part in insurance-related webinars to understand industry trends	
Attend workshops on cultural diversity and international business etiquette	
Enroll in workshops for advanced Excel and data analysis tools	

SPRING

Career Milestones	Done
Acquire technical internship interview readiness	
Volunteer for finance committees or related groups	
Secure one internship by Senior year	
Consider self-guided case studies outside the classroom	
Fine tune how to become a certified actuary	
Start preparing for professional actuarial exams	

Senior

FALL

Career Milestones	Done
Take advantage of events offered by Career Center to perfect job search, interviewing and employability skills	
Schedule an appointment with the career advisor	
Inform contacts you are in the process of searching for a job	
Apply, apply and apply for more jobs. Record your progress	
Complete a senior thesis or capstone project	

SPRING

Career Milestones	Done
Apply for more jobs. Record your progress and remember to follow-up on your applications	
Secure references and recommendations	
If applicable, complete graduate school app process	
Connect with our alumni office and join QC alumni	
Connect with alumni on LinkedIn professional groups	
Consider an MBA or additional certifications	



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