



# Bachelor of Science in Professional Studies

## Finish what you started!

***Transfer in up to 90 college credits, including credit for work experience, military training, and CLEP (College Level Examination Program), and turn your hard-earned credits into a bachelor's degree at Goodwin University.***

### Your bachelor's degree is closer than you think!

We've created the best way for you to complete your bachelor's degree — in as little as 12 months full time — in our customizable Professional Studies program. Unlike at other schools, you can complete your degree at Goodwin faster by leveraging more of the credits you've already earned. You can transfer in up to 90 college credits, and you will take your final college credits at Goodwin.

There are 16 fixed general education courses, with the remainder of the program consisting of open electives and flexible major core requirements designed to include courses you have already taken. You'll also have the option to pursue a minor consisting of 15 credits in a specific content area.

### Take advantage of our flexible scheduling options

Classes are offered on-campus, online, and in a hybrid format. You can take courses part- or full-time for 7 or 15 weeks. With classes offered 7 days a week, we're sure we'll have the perfect classes for you. Classes begin 6 times per year, so we're ready to get started when you are.

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General education core requirements: 40 credits		
ENG 101	English Composition	3
ENG 1XX	English Elective	3
ENG 3XX	English Elective	3
MATH 1XX	Mathematics (MATH)	3
	Science (BIO, CHEM, SCI)	4
PSY 112	Introduction to Psychology	3
SOC 101	Introduction to Sociology	3
	Humanities (HIS, PHIL, SPAN, HUM)	3
	General Education Electives	15
Programmatic general education requirements: 6 credits		
COM 101	Public Speaking OR	
COM 105	Interpersonal Communications	3
STAT 167	Principles of Statistics	3
Major core requirements: 33 credits		
	Courses in the student's designed major core (1XX)	27
PRO 495	Professional Studies Capstone	3
PSY 420	Research Methods	3
Open electives: 42 credits		
2XX	Electives	21
3XX	Electives	21

Total credits: 121

Students must complete all bachelor's degree graduation requirements as stated in the catalog. Additionally, it is required that students complete the Professional Studies Capstone (PRO 495).

### Must be completed at Goodwin:

- A minimum of 30 credits or 25% of the graduation credits must be completed at Goodwin University.
- A minimum of 15 credits in the major core must be completed at Goodwin University.
- The last 12 credits must be completed at Goodwin University.
- 20 hours of documented community service and required submissions

### Can be completed at Goodwin or transferred in:

- Military credit
- Professional Studies Capstone
- Get college credits for what you already know through Credit By Exam.
- A cumulative GPA of 2.0 or higher and a cumulative GPA of 2.5 for the major

Goodwin University is a nonprofit institution of higher education and is accredited by the New England Commission of Higher Education (NECHE), formerly known as the New England Association of Schools and Colleges (NEASC).