Henry B. Tippie College of Business
Undergraduate Program

Admission Policies

**Direct Admission** (06G). Admission option for highly qualified high school students to be admitted directly to the Tippie College of Business. Direct admits are advised in the College, and enroll in a transitions seminar. There is no cap on the direct admission enrollment. Criteria:

- Admission application to the University (a separate application to the College is not required).
- An admission index of 140 or higher*

*The Admission Index is calculated by doubling the ACT composite score and then adding the class percentile rank. If the index cannot be calculated because the high school doesn't rank students, a minimum ACT composite score of 27 (or equivalent SAT composite) and a minimum high school GPA of 3.75 are required.

Student who are directly admitted to the college are eligible to apply to the Tippie Scholars Program. The Tippie Scholars Program is highly competitive and based on high school record and an application essay. Tippie Scholars receive a scholarship, specialized programming, a dedicated advisor, a first-year seminar offered by the College of Business, and priority registration. Tippie Scholars must maintain a 3.33 each semester to remain in the program.

**Accelerated Admission** (06V). Admission option for UI and transfer students to be admitted to the College prior to their junior year. There is no cap on accelerated admission enrollment. Accelerated admission students have mandatory advising, provided by the College, until a major is declared. Implementation is to begin after Spring 2008 grades are posted for Fall 2008 admissions. The accelerated admission process will run after each session (fall, spring, and 6/8 week summer) and no application is required. Criteria:

- Must be declared a prebusiness major (first or second) and admitted to the University Fall 2007 or later.
- Enrolled at the UI for at least one semester, but no more than three semesters.
- Have earned no more than 60 hours.
- Completion of 22M:017, 22S:008, and either 6E:001 or 6E:002 (or their equivalents) with no grade lower than a C in any completed prereqs.
- A UI, cumulative, and prerequisite GPA of 2.75 or higher (any and all prerequisites that a student takes will be used in calculating the prerequisite GPA for admission).

**Standard Admission** (06A, 06E, 06F, etc). Admission option for UI and transfer students who have completed 60 or more hours. Standard admission students must declare a major and are advised in the College. Criteria:

- Submission of an application by the deadline (April 1 and November 1).
- Completion of all prerequisite courses (or equivalents) with no grade lower than a C.
- A UI, cumulative, and prerequisite GPA of 2.75 or higher. *(transfer students will not have a UI GPA if they have not previously attended the UI)*

*Note: all admission options require that the applicant has had no prior violations of Tippie College of Business Honor code.*