

# SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT

In a global economy where products and services must move faster than ever, the **Supply Chain Management** degree at Marian University gives you the power to oversee the journey — from raw materials to finished goods — ensuring everything flows smoothly and efficiently. Our curriculum is designed to equip you with the analytical, strategic, and operational skills needed to thrive in high-demand roles across manufacturing, retail, healthcare, technology, logistics, and more.

Throughout your studies, you'll learn how to forecast demand, optimize operations, manage procurement, warehousing, distribution, and apply top industry practices like Six Sigma — all grounded in real-world, business-first thinking. Whether you're aiming to become a supply chain analyst, operations manager, procurement specialist, or logistics leader, you'll be prepared to make an immediate impact when you graduate.

## Average Salary by Experience:

(years worked in supply chain-related positions)

<b>0-5 years</b> .....	\$76,693
<b>6-10 years</b> .....	\$102,328
<b>11-15 years</b> .....	\$125,342
<b>16-20 years</b> .....	\$136,078
<b>21-25 years</b> .....	\$147,136
<b>26 or more years</b> .....	\$164,172

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## What You Can Be With This Degree

- Supply Chain Manager
- Supply Chain Analyst
- Purchasing Manager
- Buyer
- Logistician
- Procurement Specialist
- Operations Manager
- Retail Planner

## Industries That Value Supply Chain Management

- Manufacturing
- Retail
- Healthcare
- Technology
- Logistics and Transportation
- Food and Beverage
- Automotive
- Pharmaceuticals
- Energy
- Government and Defense Organizations

## Skills and Proficiencies

- Quantitatively forecast inventory needs and build a logistics plan to meet demand
- Critically assess costs and logistical requirements of setting up a physical goods supply chain
- Use popular methodologies (such as Six Sigma) and common technologies to make and implement practical decisions
- Solve real-world supply chain management problems and clearly articulate end-to-end considerations for any proposed solution

## Supply Chain is a Growing Industry

\$75.6 billion global market expected by 2032 (up from \$27.2 billion in 2022).

— www.PRNewswire.com, 2023

## Average Salaries

**Logistician**  
**\$79,520**

**Procurement Agent**  
**\$81,741**

**Retail Buyer**  
**\$94,145**

**Operations Manager**  
**\$98,100**

**Purchasing Manager**  
**\$131,350**

**Purchasing Director**  
**\$158,693**

— U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, 2024

# SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT 4-YEAR COURSE SAMPLE

## FRESHMAN LEVEL

### SEMESTER 1

ENG 106	Argumentative and Research Writing	3
FIN 205	Personal Finance	3
MKT 201	Principles of Marketing	3
SCP 100	Sabre Foundations	3
XXX XXX	Elective	3

**Credit hours 15**

### SEMESTER 2

MGT 213	Principles of Management	3
PHI 130	Knowledge, Values, and Society	3
TEC 200	Fundamentals of Information Technology	3
GEN Ed	Quantitative	3
GEN Ed	Social Scientific 1	3

**Credit hours 15**

## SOPHOMORE LEVEL

### SEMESTER 1

ECO 202	Microeconomics (Social Scientific 2)	3
SCM 201	Forecasting and Logistics	3
SCM XXX	Required Elective 1	3
STATS	BUA 210/PSY 210/MAT 122	3
GEN Ed	Humanistic	3

**Credit hours 15**

### SEMESTER 2

ACC 201	Financial Accounting	3
BUA 203	Career Preparation	2
ENG XXX	Writing Intensive	3
SCM 202	Sourcing and Operations	3
GEN Ed	Diversity Literacy	3
XXX XXX	Elective	3

**Credit hours 17**

## JUNIOR LEVEL

### SEMESTER 1

BUA 310	International Business	3
THE 101	Introduction to Christian Theology	3
SCM 301	Supply Chain Management Technologies	3
SCM XXX	Required Elective 2	3
XXX XXX	Elective	3

**Credit hours 15**

### SEMESTER 2

BUA 350	Business Law	3
FIN 301	Managerial Finance	3
SCM 302	Supply Chain in Action	3
XXX XXX	Elective	3
XXX XXX	Elective	3

**Credit hours 15**

## SENIOR LEVEL

### SEMESTER 1

SCM 401	Supply Chain Management Capstone	3
GEN Ed	Scientific Reasoning	3
XXX XXX	Elective	3
XXX XXX	Elective	3
XXX XXX	Elective	3

**Credit hours 15**

### SEMESTER 2

BUA 402	Strategy and Policy	3
INT 497	Internship	3
XXX XXX	Elective	3
XXX XXX	Elective	3
XXX XXX	Elective	3

**Credit hours 15**

- A minimum of 120 credits is required to graduate.
- A minimum cumulative GPA of 2.0 is required.
- Business students are guided by their academic advisor regarding their course plan.