

# **Departmental Policy Statement: Management Information Systems & Decision Sciences**

## ***Fogelman College of Business & Economics***

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### ***Curriculum***

The Department of Management Information Systems (MIS) offers majors or concentrations for degrees including the Bachelor's (BBA), Master of Science (MS), and the Doctorate (Ph.D.). The Fogelman College's Master of Business Administration (MBA), Executive MBA (EMBA), and International MBA (IMBA) degree programs include MIS courses, some of which are required for the degree and others that serve as electives. The programs all provide an emphasis on both the technology of the business world and the related management issues, i.e., the organizational and behavioral impact of technology.

### ***Purpose and Scope of the Collection***

The University of Memphis Libraries supports study and research in management information systems at the undergraduate and graduate levels. Areas of concentration include: decision sciences, expert systems, telecommunications, information systems, management and planning, statistics, system development, database management, and general applications of computers to business.

### ***Cooperative Agreements***

None specified.

### ***Geographical Coverage***

Materials collected are primarily from national sources; however, materials from other areas of the world are also collected as needed.

### ***Languages***

English is the primary language of the MIS collection.

### ***Types of Materials***

Monographs:

Serials/Series:

Serials are primary to the collection.

Electronic Resources:

The library buys or subscribes to electronic indexes and full-text databases that offer research value.

Microforms:

Research collections in microforms are purchased when deemed relevant.

Audio/Visual:

Video and audio materials are acquired when relevant to the curriculum.

### ***Location of Materials Collection***

All materials are located in the main library (McWherter) on the University of Memphis campus.

### ***Special Collections***

None specified.

### ***Subject Areas by LC Classification***

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|---------------|---------------------------------------|
| HA1 – HA4737  | Statistics                            |
| HB1 – HB3840  | Economic theory                       |
| HC10 – HC1085 | Economic history by region or country |

HD28 – HD9999  
HE1 – HE9900  
HF1 – HF6182  
HG1 – HG9999  
HJ9 – HJ9995

Economic history and conditions  
Transportations and communications  
Commerce  
Finance  
Public finance

***Related Areas of Collection***

Accountancy  
Economics

Finance  
Marketing & Supply Chain Management

Management