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- Application deadlines: October 1 for spring entry, March 1 for summer entry, June 1 for fall entry
- Seven semesters to complete
- Students pay the same price, plus applicable fees, for courses regardless of location
- Courses taught by the same world-class professors who teach on campus
- Opportunity to participate in Global Business Seminar
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Core curriculum

The MBA program consists of 39 credit hours. Current core curriculum includes the following 27 credit hours:

ACG 5026 - Financial Reporting and Managerial Control (3 hrs)
BUL 5810 - The Legal and Ethical Environment of Business (3 hrs)
FIN 5425 - Problems in Financial Management (3 hrs)
ISM 5021 - Information and Technology Management (3 hrs)
MAR 5125 - Marketing Strategy in the Global Environment (3 hrs)
MAN 5245 - Organizational Behavior (3 hrs)
MAN 5501 - Operations Management (3 hrs)
MAN 5716 - Economics and Business Conditions (3 hrs)
MAN 5721 - Strategy and Business Policy (3 hrs)

Flex options

Students customize their MBA with 12 credit hours of flex courses, chosen from the list below:

FIN 5515 - Investment Management and Analysis (3 hrs)
MAR 5409 - Business to Business Marketing (3 hrs)
MAR 5465 - Purchasing and Supply Chain Management (3 hrs)
MAR 5957 - Global Business Seminar (3 hrs)
(3 hrs; includes trip abroad; extra fees apply)
RMI 5017 - Fundamentals of Risk and Insurance (3 hrs)

Students may also specialize in management information systems (MIS), real estate or sales management. The MIS specialization is subject to program director approval and appropriate student background.

Prerequisites

Designed for professionals with extensive work experience, the FSU MBA does not require prerequisite coursework. However, it is helpful to have a general knowledge of accounting, economics, finance and statistics when beginning the program. Please note: Program requirements are subject to change.

Cost of an FSU MBA

Students pay the same price plus applicable fees for courses regardless of location. For a complete list of estimated costs, see mba.fsu.edu.

Admission guidelines

Admission to the MBA program is highly competitive and based on the academic and professional credentials of the applicant pool. The College of Business generally recommends a minimum of five years of work experience, a minimum total score of 550 on the GMAT and an undergraduate upper division GPA of at least 3.0. However, all application materials are considered.

Application process checklist

The following two items should be sent directly to Florida State University through the online admissions application:

1. University Application for Admission to a Graduate Program (available exclusively online at https://admissions.fsu.edu/gradapp/).
2. Nonrefundable application fee of $30 (see University Application – may be paid online at fees.fsu.edu).

Send three items to the University Admissions Office:

1. One official transcript from all schools attended (except for FSU).
2. Official TOEFL Score Report, official PTE Score Report or IELTS Test Report (required of international applicants whose native language is not English, regardless of academic background).
3. Florida Resident Affidavit (not needed for non-Florida residents) - see University Application or http://admissions.fsu.edu/images/pdf/residency.pdf.
   Address: *Florida State University, Office of Admissions , 282 Champions Way, PO. Box 3062400, Tallahassee, FL 32306-1110*

Send directly to the FSU College of Business Graduate Office:

1. Official GMAT scores and, if applicable, a copy of the TOEFL, PTE or IELTS scores.
   Address: *Florida State University, College of Business Graduate Programs Office, 821 Academic Way, RBB 336, P.O. Box 3061110, Tallahassee, FL 32306-1110.*

Submit program-specific information directly to the FSU College of Business through the online admissions application, https://admissions.fsu.edu/gradapp/

1. Applicant statement (link to prepared questions found in online application).
2. Current resume. Clearly indicate work experience including dates and positions held, noting full-time or part-time employment. Management, business, and leadership experience should also be clearly detailed.
3. Two recommendations from employers or former college professors that speak specifically to the applicant's ability to successfully complete the MBA program.

Note to international applicants: For more information concerning financial responsibilities, degree equivalency, etc., please visit http://admissions.fsu.edu/international/admissions/graduate.cfm

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