

Graduate Certificate in Business Administration

BUSINESS SKILLS YOU CAN USE RIGHT AWAY, YOUR WAY

As today's business world continues to be disrupted by technological transformation, working professionals must have the data, technological and human skills needed for the future of work. D'Amore-McKim's Graduate Certificate in Business Administration allows you to gain forward-thinking, relevant, in-demand business skills that you can apply to your position immediately.

This program consists of four to six graduate-level courses (12–15 credits) where you have the opportunity to align your interests to your goals by choosing one area of focus, or widen the scope and build your expertise on all fundamentals of business.

Gain this specialized knowledge from world-class faculty—taught with D'Amore-McKim's signature focus on the tech economy.

Part-Time MBA path. Study on our Boston campus and take six foundational quantitative and business classes (15 credits) from the D'Amore-McKim MBA curriculum. When you complete the certificate with a cumulative GPA of 3.3 and a B or better in each of your classes you may apply these credits toward the Part-Time MBA and be eligible to waive the GMAT entrance requirement.

Build your own curriculum. Designed to provide you with specialized knowledge in the specific area of business that

interests you most, a Graduate Certificate in Business Administration can give you the power to create your curriculum to match your goals. You may select any four or five graduate business courses (12–15 credits)—just the courses you need to propel you toward your career goals and personal aspirations. When you complete the certificate with a cumulative GPA of 3.0 and a B or better in each of your classes, you may apply your credits toward an eligible Part-Time MBA program.

WHY D'AMORE-MCKIM?

Top-tier. Earn a graduate-level credential at a renowned global research university.

Learn it today, use it tomorrow.

You'll gain forward-thinking, relevant, in-demand business skills that you can apply to your position immediately or as you pursue a new opportunity.

World-class faculty. Learn from entrepreneurs and executives at top firms who have skillfully led through times of rapid change.

Experience-powered learning. Gain concrete skills and industry-aligned knowledge through Northeastern's practice-oriented approach to academics. Real-world lessons are brought into the classroom by our world class faculty, leading practitioners with years of experience in their field.

Global alumni network. D'Amore-McKim alumni—founders, partners, directors, managers, associates—are links in a supportive community spanning six continents.

Northeastern University
D'Amore-McKim
School of Business

Study Format

Part-time on our Boston campus

Time to Complete

1–3 years

Class Schedule

Monday–Thursday at 5:20 p.m.
or 7:30 p.m.

Customize Your Learning

Four or six business courses
tailored to your goals

Enrollment Terms

January, May, or September



My education at D'Amore-McKim enhanced my technical skills, enabling me to perform better in the workplace. I also developed essential life skills like networking, public speaking, and the ability to collaborate with diverse groups of people."

Neha Vinod,
Graduate Certificate in Business
Administration'18, MBA'22



Northeastern's D'Amore-McKim School of Business prepares people and organizations to thrive in a global business environment of rapid-fire change driven by converging digital technologies. The school develops leaders and innovators who are proficient in human, data, and technological literacies; global in outlook and entrepreneurial in mindset; and invested in lifelong learning for themselves and their teams.

Northeastern University

Founded in 1898, Northeastern is a global research university and the recognized leader in experience-powered lifelong learning. Our world-renowned experiential approach empowers our students, faculty, alumni, and partners to create impact far beyond the confines of discipline, degree, and campus.

Our locations—in Boston; Charlotte, North Carolina; London; Portland, Maine; San Francisco; Seattle; Silicon Valley, Toronto; Vancouver; and the Massachusetts communities of Burlington and Nahant—are nodes in our growing global university system. Through this network, we expand opportunities for flexible, student-centered learning and collaborative, solutions-focused research.

Northeastern's comprehensive array of undergraduate and graduate programs—in on-campus, online, and hybrid formats—lead to degrees through the doctorate in nine colleges and schools. Among these, we offer more than 140 multidisciplinary majors and degrees designed to prepare students for purposeful lives and careers.