

# Graduate Business Certificates

## F-1 VISA COMPLIANT STUDY OPPORTUNITIES

### BUSINESS SKILLS YOU NEED NOW

Today, business is global and ever-changing. To keep pace in a world transformed by technology, you need to keep learning throughout your career. Our unique graduate certificate programs allow you to dive deep and gain the specific knowledge and skills you need right now. All while experiencing life in the United States and earning credits that may later be applied to a master's degree.

Earn a graduate certificate at the D'Amore-McKim School of Business at Northeastern, a private research university ranked by *U.S. News and World Report* among the top 50 in the country.

Your graduate certificate coursework is taught by faculty who are renowned, global scholars and leading practitioners in their respective fields. They bring a deep level of seasoned expertise to the courses they teach and the one-on-one discussions they have with you, taking personal interest in your professional development and goals.

### NINE PROGRAMS

Choose among nine F-1-visa-compliant graduate certificate programs.

You'll complete five master's level courses in these in-demand fields:

- Accounting and Financial Decision Making
- Business Administration
- Corporate Renewal
- Leadership and Human Capital
- Innovation Management

- International Business
- Marketing
- Supply Chain Management
- Technological Entrepreneurship

### A WORLD OF BENEFITS

**Live and study in Boston.** Build your expertise in Boston, a center of business innovation in the U.S., and a historic city known for its art and culture, world-renowned colleges and universities, and welcoming, diverse community.

### Experience-powered learning.

Northeastern is a global leader for industry-aligned learning. Your U.S. experience will give you the time to discover a new culture, the spark to think deeply about business concepts, and the tools to drive your career to new heights.

### Optional Practical Training (OPT).

Upon completion of your certificate program, you may become eligible for Optional Practical Training (OPT) so you can work for up to 12 months in the U.S.

**Stackable credits.** Successful graduates can apply their certificate credits toward eligible master's degrees at Northeastern, including the Part-Time MBA.

**Flexible scheduling.** Start your classes in the fall, spring, or summer. Between semesters, you'll have time to travel or spend with family.

**English-language fluency.** Polish your skills as you immerse yourself in American business culture.

Northeastern University  
**D'Amore-McKim  
School of Business**

### DESIGNED FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

- Study full-time on our Boston campus
- Most programs begin 3 times a year in spring, summer, and fall
- Finish in 8 months (5 courses over 2 semesters) **Note: The Business Administration certificate may be accelerated and completed in one semester.**
- Graduate certificate programs do not require a GMAT score
- Optional Practical Training
- Apply by:  
March 1 to start in summer term  
July 1 to start in fall term  
November 1 to start in spring term



**I had worked for 10 years in a finance role in Brazil. D'Amore-McKim helped me connect my practical experience with business theory to accelerate my career."**

Simone Pontarolo Langner  
Accounting and Financial Decision Making, 2018



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; the Massachusetts communities of Burlington and Nahant; Charlotte, North Carolina; the San Francisco Bay Area; Seattle; London; Toronto; and Vancouver—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.