Graduate Business Programs

HANDBOOK & STUDENT GUIDE

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Northeastern University's D’Amore-McKim School of Business is nationally and globally recognized as the leading experience-based business school.

Through strong academic programs, the School prepares its graduates for employment at organizations seeking highly motivated business leaders who have the professional skills and ethical training to make a positive impact at all levels.

D’Amore-McKim faculty members engage in knowledge creation that advances the practice and theory of management with particular focus on global management, innovation, and corporate governance.
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Full-Time MBA Program
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Required Courses

**Semester One (Fall)**

*Module One*

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<td>Innovating &amp; Creating Futures</td>
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<td>STRT 6318</td>
<td>Strategic Planning for the Future</td>
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<td>BUSN 6363</td>
<td>Social Impact of Business</td>
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*Full Semester*

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*required for corporate residency

**Total for Term: 16 cr**

**Remainder (39 Credits)**

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<td>Concentration 1 Courses</td>
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<td>Experiential Credits (3 credits)</td>
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**Interdisciplinary Credits**  
*required for corporate residency

**Total for Term: 12 cr**

**MBA Electives**

Complete open electives in the following subject areas: ACCT, BUSN, ENTR, FINA, HRMG, INTB, MECN, MKTG, MGMT, SCHM, STRT, and TECE. At least three elective credits and no more than six must be experiential in nature, and six credits must be interdisciplinary (outside DMSB). No more than six elective credits can be drawn from one-credit courses.

**Corporate Residency**

Students in the full-time MBA program are expected to complete a three-month, six-month, or two six-month corporate residency work assignment[s]. This is a critical component of the Northeastern MBA learning experience. The corporate residency must be embedded within the course curriculum and cannot be approved after completion of all coursework. Students must successfully complete the Career Management class to participate in the corporate residency recruiting process.

Students will work with the Graduate Career Center to develop an appropriate corporate residency placement. While corporate residencies are not guaranteed, it is the expectation of the program that all students will complete a residency after their first year of classes, barring exceptional circumstances. Students on residency are expected to work full-time in the residency and will not be permitted to take any classes during the day and must receive prior approval from their advisor for any evening/weekend classes (maximum six credits per semester).

The Graduate Career Center must approve all placements intended to fulfill the corporate residency component of the program. Students are required to provide the Graduate Career Center a copy of their offer letter for corporate residency and a job description if the position is self-developed.

While rare, students failing to obtain an approved corporate residency will take classes Summer 2 and Fall semesters and apply for a corporate residency position for January - June. Students must be authorized by the Graduate Career Center to pursue a January residency. Note: Students on an International Visa cannot have residency in their final term so if they do a January - June residency, they are required to take classes the following Summer 2.

Students on academic probation are not eligible to participate in the Corporate Residency program. Students with a GPA under 2.8 after Fall semester, year 1, may not search for a residency until they have satisfied the conditions of their probation.

Students placed on probation after Spring semester and who have already secured a residency position will be permitted to participate. However, if a residency placement has
not been confirmed after academic progress has been evaluated following the end of the academic term, the students must defer the residency until they have been removed from probation.

There will be opportunities to extend corporate residency up to twelve months based on employer needs and subject to OGS policies. This is particularly valuable to students with less work experience coming to the program or those who are making significant career changes. Students who elect to perform a second six-month residency, January - June, will likely have their graduation date changed from August to December. Students interested in a possible extended residency must make their interest known to the Career Center and work closely with the staff to identify opportunities and complete the appropriate processes. Students who complete a second six-month residency must take at least one credit of coursework during their time working to demonstrate forward progress in their degree.

Concentrations

Students will elect to pursue two of nine available concentrations. Students will choose their concentrations during the fall semester of their first year prior to spring semester registration in November. Students are encouraged to consult with their academic advisor throughout their program to ensure they are registered for the correct courses and that the requirements of the concentrations are met. Each concentration is 12 credits and consists of the following:

Business Analytics

Required (3 credits):

BUSN 6365 Business Analytics

Select Three (9 credits):

- SCHM 6215 Supply Chain Analytics
- MKTG 6230 Driving Marketing Performance: Measure, Analyze, Profit
- MKTG 6234 Marketing Analytics
- STRT 6210 Workforce Metrics & Analytics
- MISM 6203 Business Analytics Methods
- MISM 6210 Information Visuals & Dashboard for Business
- MISM 6212 Data Mining & Machine Learning for Business
- MISM 6213 Business Info Design, Quality, & Strategy
- PPUA 5302 Information Design & Visual Analytics (4 credits)
- CS 5200 Database Management Systems (4 credits)
- CS 5100 Foundations of Artificial Intelligence (4 credits)
- ECON 5140 Applied Econometrics (4 credits)
- IE 6600 Computation and Visualization for Analytics (4 credits)
**Corporate Innovation & Venturing**

*Required (3 credits):*

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<td>Corporate Entrepreneurship through Global Growth, Acquisitions, &amp; Alliances</td>
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<td>Creating an Innovative Organization</td>
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<td>ARTG 5610</td>
<td>Design Systems (4 credits)</td>
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**Entrepreneurship**

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<td>Iterative Product Prototyping for Engineers (4 credits)</td>
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Finance - Corporate

Required (3 credits):
FINA 6320 Advanced Financial Management

Select One (3 credits):
FINA 6203 Investment Analysis
FINA 6260 Entrepreneurial Finance, Innovation Value & Private Equity
FINA 6216 Valuation & Value Creation

Select Two (6 credits):
FINA 6203 Investment Analysis*
FINA 6204 International Financial Management
FINA 6205 Financial Strategy
FINA 6207 Financial Modeling
FINA 6211 Financial Risk Management
FINA 6213 Investment Banking
FINA 6214 Mergers & Acquisitions
FINA 6215 Business Turnarounds
FINA 6216 Valuation & Value Creation*
FINA 6217 Real Estate Finance & Investment
FINA 6260 Entrepreneurial Finance, Innovation Value & Private Equity
MECN 6200 Global Competition and Market Dominance

*if not taken as the required track course

Finance - Investments

Required (6 credits):
FINA 6320 Advanced Financial Management
FINA 6203 Investment Analysis

Select Two (6 credits):
FINA 6204 International Finance Management
FINA 6207 Financial Modeling
FINA 6211 Financial Risk Management
FINA 6212 Fixed Income Securities and Risk
FINA 6213 Investment Banking
FINA 6214 Mergers & Acquisitions
FINA 6216 Valuation & Value Creation
FINA 6217 Real Estate Finance & Investment
FINA 6219 Portfolio Management
FINA 6260 Entrepreneurial Finance, Innovation Value & Private Equity
FINA 6360 Fund Management for Analysts (1 credit)
FINA 6361 Fund Management for Managers (1 credit)
MECN 6200 Global Competition and Market Dominance
Healthcare Management

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<td>Health Organization Management</td>
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<td>Strategic Management for Healthcare Orgs</td>
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(Additional open elective recommendations available.)

International Business

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Leading People & Organizations

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Marketing

*Required (3 credits):*

- MKTG 6320 Advanced Marketing Management

*Select Three (9 credits):*

- MKTG 6210 Marketing Research
- MKTG 6212 International Marketing
- MKTG 6214 New Product Development
- MKTG 6216 Market Focused Strategy
- MKTG 6218 Marketing in the Service Sector
- MKTG 6222 Digital Marketing
- MKTG 6223 Brand and Advertising Management
- MKTG 6224 B2B Strategic Sales
- MKTG 6226 Consumer Behavior
- MKTG 6230 Driving Marketing Performance: Measure, Analyze, Profit
- MKTG 6234 Marketing Analytics
- MKTG 6260 Special Topics in Marketing

Supply Chain Management

*Required (3 credits):*

- SCHM 6213 Global Supply Chain Strategy

*Select Three (9 credits):*

- SCHM 6211 Logistics & Transportation Management
- SCHM 6212 Executive Roundtable in Supply Chain Management
- SCHM 6214 Sourcing & Procurement
- SCHM 6215 Supply Chain Analytics
- SCHM 6221 Sustainability & Supply Chain Management
- SCHM 6223 Managing Healthcare Supply Chain Operations
- SCHM 6224 Demand Planning & Forecasting

Full-Time MBA x Computer Science

The full-time MBA x Computer Science program starts in the Fall Semester and is 55 credits. There are 16 credits of core coursework and 24 credits of concentration coursework. One concentration will be completed within DMSB, and the other concentration will be completed within the Khoury College of Computer Sciences. Students must also take 15 elective credits, of which 3 credits must be experiential in nature. Most elective credits are taken in the evening or on Saturdays. Students may receive Transfer credit of up to 9 credits. A grade point average of 3.000 is required for graduation.

Students with no prior background in computer science will complete the “bridge
courses” within the Khoury College of Computer Sciences. Those who need the foundational coursework must complete an additional 16 credits in the year prior to taking MBA concentration classes. This adds one year to the full-time MBA.

Concentrations
Students will elect to pursue two concentrations. Students will choose one of four available computer science concentrations, where courses will be taken in the Khoury College of Computer Sciences. Students will also choose one of the nine available concentrations listed above for the full-time MBA. Students will choose their concentrations during the fall semester of their first year prior to spring semester registration in November. Students are encouraged to consult with their academic advisor throughout their program to ensure they are registered for the correct courses and that the requirements of the concentrations are met. Each concentration is 12 credits and consists of the following:

Artificial Intelligence
Required (12 credits):

- CS 5100 Foundations of Artificial Intelligence (4 cr)
- CS 6120 Natural Language Processing (4 cr)
- CS 6140 Machine Learning (4 cr)

Cybersecurity
Required (12 credits):

- CS 5770 Software Vulnerabilities and Security (4 cr)
- CS 6750 Cryptography and Communications Security (4 cr)
- CS 6760 Privacy, Security, and Usability (4 cr)

Data Science
Required (12 credits):

- CS 5200 Database Systems Management (4 cr)
- CS 6140 Machine Learning (4 cr)
- CS 6220 Data Mining Techniques

Software Development
Required (12 credits):

- CS 5500 Managing Software Development
- CS 5610 Web Development Processing
- CS 5520 Mobile Application Development

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Full-Time MBA x Design Communication

The full-time MBA x Design Communication program starts in the Fall Semester and is 55 credits. There are 16 credits of core coursework and 24 credits of concentration coursework. One concentration will be completed within DMSB, and the other concentration will be completed within the College of Arts, Media, & Design. Students must also take 15 elective credits, of which 3 credits must be experiential in nature. Most elective credits are taken in the evening or on Saturdays. Students may receive Transfer credit of up to 9 credits. A grade point average of 3.000 is required for graduation.

Concentrations

Students will elect to pursue two concentrations. Students will chose one of four available design communication concentrations, where courses will be taken in the College of Arts, Media, and Design. Students will also choose one of the nine available concentrations listed above for the full-time MBA. Students will choose their concentrations during the fall semester of their first year prior to spring semester registration in November. Students are encouraged to consult with their academic advisor throughout their program to ensure they are registered for the correct courses and that the requirements of the concentrations are met. Each concentration is 12 credits and consists of the following:

Data Visualization

Required (8 credits):
- ARTG 5150/5151 Information Visualization Principles & Practices
- ARTG 5330 Visualization Technologies 1

Electives (4 credits, select one):
- ARTG 5310 Visual Cognition
- ARTG 6110 Information Design Theory & Critical Thinking
- ARTG 6330 Information Design Mapping Strategies

Experience Design

Required (8 credits):
- ARTG 5610 Design Systems
- ARTG 6310 Design for Behavior and Experience

Electives (4 credits, select one):
- ARTG 5600 Experience Design Studio 1: Principles
- ARTG 5620 Notational Systems for Experience
- ARTG 5640 Prototyping for Experience Design

Game Design & Analytics

Required (8 credits):
GSND 5110  Game Design & Analysis
GSND 6350  Data-Driven Player Modeling

Electives (4 credits, select one):
- GSND 6320  Psychology of Play
- GSND 6330  Player Experience
- GSND 6340  Biometrics for Design

Media Innovation & Advocacy

Required (8 credits):
- JRNL 5400  Media & Advocacy in Theory & Practice
- JRNL 6340  Fundamentals of Digital Journalism

Electives (4 credits, select one):
- ARTG 5150/5151  Information Visualization Principles & Practices
- JRNL 5311  Design for Storytelling
- JRNL 6305  Topics in Contemporary Journalism & Media
- JRNL 6341  Telling Your Story With Data

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Full-Time MBA x Life Sciences

The full-time MBA x Life Sciences program starts in the Fall Semester and is 55 credits. There are 16 credits of core coursework and 24 credits of concentration coursework. One concentration will be completed within DMSB, and the other concentration will be completed within the College of Science. Students must also take 15 elective credits, of which 3 credits must be experiential in nature. Most elective credits are taken in the evening or on Saturdays. Students may receive Transfer credit of up to 9 credits. A grade point average of 3.000 is required for graduation.

Concentrations

Students will elect to pursue two concentrations. Students will chose one of four available design communication concentrations, where courses will be taken in the College of Science. Students will also choose one of the nine available concentrations listed above for the full-time MBA. Students will choose their concentrations during the fall semester of their first year prior to spring semester registration in November. Students are encouraged to consult with their academic advisor throughout their program to ensure they are registered for the correct courses and that the requirements of the concentrations are met. Each concentration is 12 credits and
consists of the following:

**Biotechnology Industry**

*Required (11 credits):*

- BIOT 5120  Introduction to Biotechnology
- BIOT 5631  Cell Culture Process for Biopharmaceutical Production
- BIOT 6214  Experimental Design & Biostats (2 cr)
- CHEM 7317  Analytical Biotechnology

*Electives (1 credit, select one):*

Any graduate level BUSN course (1 cr).

**Bioinformatics**

*Required (12 credits):*

- BINF 6308  Bioinformatics Computational Methods 1
- BINF 6309  Bioinformatics Computational Methods 2
- BINF 7385  Bioinformatics Programming

The curriculum is subject to change by D’Amore-McKim faculty. Please monitor the website for updates. Note that in any given term/year, only a subset of these electives will be available.
Part-Time MBA Program

Students enter the part-time MBA program in either the Fall semester or the Spring semester. There are 33 credits of required courses and 27 credits of elective courses for a total of 60 credits. Students may receive Waiver and/or Transfer credit of up to 20 credits (transfer credit is limited to 9 credits). Consult the Waiver Guidelines in Appendix A, page 78. A grade point average of 3.000 is required for graduation. A number of elective concentrations are available.

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Elective courses - 27 credits. Elective courses are either 1 or 3 credits. Of the 27 elective credits, no more than 6 can be drawn from one-credit courses.

Part-Time MBA students typically follow a three-year academic plan, based on the semester in which the student enters. To the extent a student deviates from the sequence, the Graduate School cannot guarantee that required courses will be available in a given semester. Students are encouraged to consult with their academic advisor throughout their program to ensure they are registered for the correct courses and that future courses are planned appropriately.
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Online MBA Courses

Part-time MBA students are allowed to take up to five online elective courses towards their degree. These courses must be taken after they complete all core classes. Since online courses are five-week intensive classes, part-time students are unable to register for an on-campus semester long course at the same time.

Elective Concentrations

Students in the Part-Time MBA program may choose electives to specialize in an area of concentration within their MBA program. Concentrations require 9 credits (unless noted otherwise) of course work as outlined below. Students may apply for up to two concentrations. An individual course may only count toward a single concentration.

Corporate Finance

FINA 6205  Financial Strategy (Required)  3 cr

Select 6 credits from these courses:

FINA 6204  International Financial Management  3 cr
FINA 6207  Financial Modeling  3 cr
FINA 6213  Investment Banking  3 cr
FINA 6214  Mergers and Acquisitions  3 cr
FINA 6215  Business Turnarounds  3 cr
FINA 6216  Valuation and Value Creation  3 cr
FINA 6221  Entrepreneurial Finance  3 cr
FINA 6231  Disrupting Finance and Insurance  3 cr
FINA 6260  Entrepreneurial Fin, Innovation Valuation and Private Equity  3 cr

Investments

FINA 6203  Investment Analysis (Required)  3 cr

Select 6 credits from these courses:

FINA 6207  Financial Modeling  3 cr
FINA 6211  Financial Risk Management  3 cr
FINA 6212  Fixed Income Securities and Risk  3 cr
FINA 6213  Investment Banking  3 cr
FINA 6217  Real Estate Finance and Investment  3 cr
FINA 6218  Personal Financial Planning  3 cr
FINA 6219  Portfolio Management  3 cr
FINA 6292  Advanced Topics in Finance  3 cr

Mutual Fund Management

FINA 6203  Investment Analysis (Required)  3 cr
FINA 6219  Portfolio Management (Required)  3 cr
Complete one of the following elective courses:

FINA 6360 Mutual Fund Management for Analysts OR 1 cr
FINA 6361 Fund Management for Managers 1 cr
(Three credits required for course credit, at least one credit must be from FINA 6361)

**Corporate Renewal**

Select 9 credits from these courses:

- ENTR 6214 Social Enterprise 3 cr
- ENTR 6224 Intellectual Property/Other Legal Aspects of Business and Innovation 3 cr
- FINA 6215 Business Turnarounds 3 cr
- FINA 6216 Valuation and Value Creation 3 cr
- HRMG 6212 Creating an Innovative Organization 3 cr
- HRMG 6218 Great Companies 3 cr
- HRMG 6213 Leadership 3 cr
- MGMT 6210 Law for Managers and Entrepreneurs 3 cr
- MGMT 6214 Negotiations 3 cr
- MKTG 6214 New Product Development 3 cr
- MKTG 6216 Market Focused Strategy 3 cr

**Supply Chain Management**

Select 9 credits from these courses:

- SCHM 6211 Logistics and Transportation Management 3 cr
- SCHM 6213 Global Supply Chain Strategy 3 cr
- SCHM 6214 Sourcing and Procurement 3 cr
- SCHM 6215 Supply Chain Analytics 3 cr
- SCHM 6221 Sustainability and Supply Chain Management 3 cr
- SCHM 6223 Managing Health Care Supply Chain Operations 3 cr
- SCHM 6224 Demand Planning and Forecasting 3 cr

**International Business**

- INTB 6212 Cultural Aspects of International Business (Required) 3 cr

Select 6 credits from these courses:

- FINA 6204 International Finance Management 3 cr
- INTB 6217 Creating Sustainable Competitive Advantage Through Global Innovation 3 cr
- INTB 6224 Competing to Win in Emerging Markets 3 cr
- INTB 6226 Becoming a Global Leader 3 cr
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**Marketing**

Select 9 credits from these courses:

- MKTG 6210  Marketing Research                     3 cr
- MKTG 6212  International Marketing              3 cr
- MKTG 6214  New Product Development              3 cr
- MKTG 6216  Market Focused Strategy              3 cr
- MKTG 6218  Marketing in the Service Sector       3 cr
- MKTG 6222  Digital Marketing                    3 cr
- MKTG 6223  Brand and Advertising Management     3 cr
- MKTG 6224  B2B and Strategic Sales               3 cr
- MKTG 6226  Consumer Behavior                     3 cr
- MKTG 6234  Marketing Analytics                  3 cr
- MKTG 6260  Special Topics in Marketing Analytics 3 cr

**Entrepreneurship**

Select 9 credits from these courses:

- ENTR 6212  Business Planning for New Ventures   3 cr
- ENTR 6214  Social Enterprise                     3 cr
- ENTR 6218  Business Model Design and Innovation 3 cr
- ENTR 6219  Financing Ventures from Early Stages to Exit 3 cr
- ENTR 6220  Family Business Leadership and Governance 3 cr
- ENTR 6222  Competing in Dynamic, Innovation-Driven Markets 3 cr
- ENTR 6224  Intellectual Property/Other Legal Aspects of Business Innovation 3 cr
- ENTR 6225  Corporate Entrepreneurship through Global Growth/Acquisitions/Alliances 3 cr
- ENTR 6230  Platform Innovation                   3 cr
- TECE 6300  Managing a Technology-Based Business  3 cr
- MKTG 6214  New Product Development               3 cr
Technological Entrepreneurship

Select 9 credits from these courses:

- ENTR 6212 Business Planning for New Ventures 3 cr
- ENTR 6219 Financing Ventures from Early Stage to Exit 3 cr
- ENTR 6224 Intellectual Property/Other Legal Aspects of Bus. Innov. 3 cr
- FINA 6225 Entrepreneurial Finance for High-Tech Companies 3 cr
- TECE 6222 Emerging and Disruptive Technologies 3 cr
- TECE 6230 Entrepreneurial Marketing and Selling 3 cr
- TECE 6250 Lean Design and Development 3 cr
- TECE 6300 Managing Technology-Based Business 3 cr
- TECE 6340 The Technical Entrepreneur as Leader 3 cr
- FINA 6260 Entrepreneurial Finance, Innovation, Valuation, and Private Equity 3 cr

Health Care Management (12 credits required)

- HINF 5105 The American Healthcare System (Required) 3 cr
- STRT 6220 Strategic Mgmt for Healthcare Organizations (Required) 3 cr
- HRMG 6220 Health Organization Management (Required) 3 cr

Select 3 credits from these courses:

- PHTH 5234 Economic Perspectives on Health Policy 3 cr
- PHTH 5232 Evaluating Healthcare Quality 3 cr
- HINF 5101 Introduction to Health Informatics and Health Info 3 cr
- SCHM 6223 Managing Healthcare Supply Chain Operations 3 cr
- FINA 6220 Health Care Finance 3 cr

Note that groups offering specializations may periodically modify specialization courses.

Access to the Graduate Career Center

Students in the Part-Time MBA program immediately have access to online research tools, Career Clips videos, and a comprehensive career management manual.

- Career Expos – You will be eligible to attend MBA Career Expos both on campus and virtually.
- Networking Events, Webinars and Employer Events – You will have access to these events. Schedules will be posted in the newsletter. Registration will be required.

Students also have access to individual career services once they have completed at least 50% of their program and must be in good academic standing. Once the Career Center receives confirmation from your advisor that you are eligible for services you
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**MS in Innovation**

The Master of Science in Innovation is a part-time program offered 100% online and is designed specifically for working professionals who want to become innovation leaders. The program covers the fundamentals of innovation in business from multiple perspectives by using case studies and experiential innovation projects. The program starts in January.

**Required Courses**

- **MGMT 6280**  Innovation for Next-Generation Products and Systems  3 cr
- **MKTG 6280**  Gaining Customer Insight  3 cr
- **ACCT 6280**  Planning and Budgeting for Innovation  3 cr
- **MKTG 6283**  Marketing and Selling Innovation  3 cr
- **ENTR 6217**  Lean Innovation  3 cr
- **ENTR 6222**  Competing in Dynamic, Innovation-Driven Markets  3 cr
- **FINA 6284**  Financing Innovation and Growth  3 cr
- **HRMG 6280**  The Human Side of Innovation  3 cr
- **MGSC 6281**  Service Innovation and Management  3 cr
- **ENTR 6225**  Corporate Entrepreneurship through Global Growth, Acquisitions and Alliances  3 cr

**Access to the Graduate Career Center**

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**MS in Quantitative Finance (MSF) Program – Full-Time Day**

The MSF Day Track requires 30 credits, and is a lock-step cohort program, beginning in September and ending the following August. This program integrates economics, mathematics, and computer science with financial theory and application, preparing you to pursue new and emerging positions in the financial industry that require great analytical rigor and fintech expertise.

Students may only complete this program as a 12-month track and on a full time basis. Participation in a corporate residency or co-op is not possible in this program.

Students are required to complete 30 credits and maintain a grade point average of 3.000, which is required for graduation.

**MS in Quantitative Finance Full-Time Curriculum:**

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*Complete four FINA electives*: [a sampling of previous offerings]

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FINA 6292  Advanced Topics in Finance  3 cr
BUSN 6200  Career Management  0 cr

*Finance elective offerings vary at the discretion of the finance department.

Electives offered outside of D’Amore-Mckim:
CS 5100  Foundations of Artificial Intelligence  4 cr
CS 5200  Database Management Systems  4 cr
ECON 5140  Applied Econometrics  4 cr

Access to the Graduate Career Center
Students in the Day MSF program will work closely with the Career Center Staff. Students in good academic standing can work with the Career Center as follows:

- Career Management Class – You may elect to enroll into a career management class with the Career Center team to address your job search tools, skills and preparation.
- Career Advisor – Work with a career advisor for resume review, cover letter review, job search strategy, networking strategy, etc.
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MS in Finance (MSF) Program – Evening
The Master of Science in Finance program requires 30 credits, 18 credits of required courses and 12 credits of electives (three credits may be non-finance electives).
Students interested in pursuing the Chartered Financial Analyst (CFA) or Certified Financial Planner (CFP) designations should select appropriate electives.

Students begin the program in the Fall term. Students may complete the program on a full-time or part-time basis. Participation in a corporate residency, coop or internship is not possible in this program.

Students may receive waiver and/or transfer credit for up to 9 credits. A minimum of
21 credits must be taken within the D’Amore-McKim School of Business. A grade point average of 3.000 is required for graduation.

Required Courses (18 credits)

- FINA 6201* Financial Theory and Policy 3 cr
- FINA 6202 Analysis of Financial Institutions and Markets 3 cr
- FINA 6203 Investment Analysis 3 cr
- FINA 6204 International Finance Management 3 cr
- FINA 6205 Investment Analysis 3 cr
- FINA 6206 Finance Seminar 3 cr

*FINA 6200 may be substituted for FINA 6201

Elective Courses (12 credits). Nine credits must be Finance courses. One three credit open elective from ACCT, ENTR, FINA, HRMG, INTB, MECN, MKTG, MGMT, SCHM, or STRT.

**Full-time MSF program plan:** (students may choose one of three tracks):

**Track 1: 10 Month Completion** (Fall, Spring and Summer 1 Terms)

- **Fall Term**
  - FINA 6201
  - FINA 6202
  - FINA 6203
  - Open Elective

- **Spring Term**
  - FINA 6205
  - FINA 6206
  - Finance Elective

- **Summer 1 Term**
  - FINA 6204
  - Finance Elective

Note: Students must select this option prior to the start of the Fall Term in order to be properly registered. The open elective may be finance or non-finance elective.

**Track 2: 12 Month Completion** (Fall, Spring, Summer 1 and Summer 2 Terms)

- **Fall Term**
  - FINA 6201
  - FINA 6202
  - FINA 6203

- **Spring Term**
  - FINA 6205
  - FINA 6206
  - Finance Elective

- **Summer 1 Term**
  - FINA 6204
  - Finance Elective

- **Summer 2 Term**
  - Open Elective
Track 3: 16 Month Completion (Fall, Spring and Fall Terms)

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Note: This option provides for no classes during the Summer Term and students are expected to return home. For some students, FINA 6206 may be taken in the Spring Term and FINA 6205 in the second Fall Term.

Part-time MSF program plan:

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Note: For some students, FINA 6206 may be taken in the second Spring Term and FINA 6205 in the second Fall Term.

Access to the Graduate Career Center

Students in the Evening Master of Science in Finance program immediately have access to online research tools, Career Clips videos, and a comprehensive career management manual.

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- Networking Events, Webinars and Employer Events – You will have access to these events. Schedules will be posted in the newsletter. Registration will be required. Job search webinars are available on our website. All DMSB students are eligible to participate in Career Center Career Expos, workshops, webinars, and networking events. Communication of these events will be sent to your husky email.

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Full-Time MS in Finance/MBA Program

Students may be admitted to the MSF/MBA program at the point of their initial enrollment in the Graduate School of Business Administration or may petition to change into the MSF/MBA program from either the MBA or the MSF programs (see details on page 52). The MSF/MBA Program requires 67 credits versus 85 to earn the two degrees separately (Full-Time MBA requires 55 credits. MSF requires 30 credits). Once either the MBA or the MSF has been awarded, it is not possible to apply for the joint degree.

The Full-Time MSF/MBA program requirement of 67 credits consists of all the required courses in the Full-Time MBA program, required finance courses, concentration courses, and electives.

Students may receive Waiver and/or Transfer credit of up to 20 credits (transfer credit is limited to 9 credits). A grade point average of 3.000 is required for graduation.

Curriculum for Full-time MSF/MBA:

Full-Time MBA required core coursework as detailed starting on page 5: 16 cr
Required finance courses 12 cr

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*required for finance electives

Concentration electives: 12 cr

Select from Business Analytics (recommended), Corporate Innovation & Venturing, Entrepreneurship, Healthcare Management, International Business, Leading People & Organizations, Marketing, and Supply Chain Management
Open electives: 15 cr
6 credits must be interdisciplinary (outside DMSB)
3 credits must be experiential in nature

Total credits: 67 cr

**Evening MS in Finance/MBA Program**

Students may be admitted to the MSF/MBA program at the point of their initial enrollment in the Graduate School of Business Administration or may petition to change into the MSF/MBA program from either the MBA or the MSF programs (see details on page 52). The MSF/MBA Program requires 72 credits versus 90 to earn the two degrees separately (MBA requires 60 credits. MSF requires 30 credits). Once either the MBA or the MSF has been awarded, it is not possible to apply for the joint degree.

The MSF/MBA program requirement of 72 credits consists of all the required courses in the Part-Time MBA program, four of the six required courses in the MSF program as listed below, and electives.

Students may receive Waiver and/or Transfer credit of up to 20 credits (transfer credit is limited to 9 credits). A grade point average of 3.000 is required for graduation.

**Curriculum for Evening MSF/MBA:**

All required courses in the Part-Time MBA as detailed starting on page 12: 33 cr

And the following Finance courses:

- FINA 6203 Investment Analysis 3 cr
- FINA 6204 International Financial Management 3 cr
- FINA 6205 Financial Strategy 3 cr
- FINA 6206 Finance Seminar 3 cr

And the following elective requirements:

- Finance electives 12 cr
- Business electives (may be Finance courses) 15 cr

Total credits: 72 cr

**MS in International Management (MSIM) Program**

The Master of Science in International Management program requires 30 credits: 21 credits of required graduate business courses; a 3 credit International Field Study Course and 6 credits of electives; which may be MBA, sociology, or political science curriculum.

Students begin the program in the Fall term. Students may complete the program on a
full-time (2 full semesters and both summer terms) or part-time basis (4 full semesters). Participation in a corporate residency is not possible in this program.

Students may receive waiver and/or transfer credit for up to 9 credits. A minimum of 21 credits must be taken within the D’Amore-McKim School of Business. A grade point average of 3.000 is required for graduation.

**Graduate Business Requirements**

The following Graduate Business courses are required:

- FINA 6204 International Finance Management 3 cr
- FINA 6209 Introduction to International Accounting and Finance 3 cr
- INTB 6200 Managing the Global Enterprise 3 cr
- INTB 6226 Becoming a Global Leader 3 cr
- MECN 6203 Global Managerial Economics 3 cr
- MKTG 6206 International Marketing 3 cr
- SCHM 6213 Global Supply Chain Management 3 cr

**International Field Study Requirement**

- INTB 6230 International Field Study 3 cr

**Electives (6 credits)**

Complete 6 semester hours from the following subject areas:

ACCT, BUSN, ENTR, FINA, HRMG, INTB, STRT, TECE, MECN, MKTG, MGMT, MGSC, SCHM

Students may also consider political science or sociology courses.

**Access to the Graduate Career Center**

Students in the MSIB program immediately have access to online research tools, Career Clips videos, and a comprehensive career management manual.

- Career Expos – You will be eligible to attend MBA Career Expos both on campus and virtually.
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**MS in Technological Entrepreneurship (MSTE) Program**

The Master of Science in Technological Entrepreneurship program requires 30 credits: 27 credits of required courses and 3 elective credits. Students begin the program in the Fall term. Students may complete the program on a full-time (10 months - Fall, Spring and Summer 1) or part-time basis (22 months - 4 full semesters and two summer terms). Participation in a co-op or corporate residency is not possible in this program.

Students may receive waiver and/or transfer credit for up to 9 credits. A minimum of 21 credits must be taken within the D’Amore-McKim School of Business. A grade point average of 3.000 is required for graduation.

**Required Courses (27 credits)**

- ENTR 6200 Enterprise Growth and Innovation - 3 cr
- ENTR 6212 Business Planning for New Ventures - 3 cr
- ENTR 6218 Business Model Design and Innovation - 3 cr
- ENTR 6219 Financing Ventures from Early Stage to Exit - 3 cr
- TECE 6222 Emerging and Disruptive Technologies - 3 cr
- TECE 6230 Entrepreneurial Marketing and Selling - 3 cr
- TECE 6250 Lean Design and Development - 3 cr
- TECE 6300 Managing a Technology-Based Business - 3 cr
- TECE 6340 The Tech. Entrepreneur as Leader - 3 cr

**Elective (3 credits)**

Complete one course (3 credits) in one of the following subject areas: ACCT, BUSN, ENTR, FINA, HRMG, INTB, MECN, MKTG, MGMT, SCHM, STRT, or TECE

**Access to the Graduate Career Center**

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- Career Expos – You will be eligible to attend MBA Career Expos and will have an opportunity to include your resume in the resume books sent to employers in advance.

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Full-Time MS in Business Analytics (MSBA)

The Master of Science in Business Analytics is a fully online program with no campus residency requirements. The program consists of 30 credits of required curriculum. Courses are offered in a back-to-back format. A grade point average of 3.000 is required for graduation. Participation in a co-op or corporate residency is not possible in this program.

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**Online MBA (OMBA)**

The Northeastern University Online MBA is a fully online program with no campus residency requirements. Students may enter the program at one of nine start dates per academic year. By adhering to a schedule established at the semester of entry, the program may be completed in as little as 24 months. Students in the OMBA are classified as part-time and participate in one course at a time; completing core courses in the first year and capstone and elective courses in the second year. Once students matriculate they must complete the program in the online format.

Students may receive waiver and/or transfer credit for up to 15 credits (transfer credit is limited to 9 credits). A minimum of 35 credits must be taken within the D’Amore-McKim School of Business. Consult the Waiver Guidelines in Appendix A, page 76. A grade point average of 3.000 is required throughout the program.

**Concentrations**

In their second year, students may choose up to two concentrations from the following: Finance, Healthcare Management, High Technology Management, Innovation Entrepreneurship, International Management, Marketing, Supply Chain Management, and Sustainability. Some concentrations have required courses; students should speak with an advisor for more information.

**Dual Online MBA/Online Master of Science in Finance (Dual OMBA/OMSF)**

Second year students are eligible to apply for the Dual MBA/MSF. The dual degree is reflected on the transcript and diploma. For additional information refer to the Online Dual MBA/MSF section.

**Online MBA Academic Plan**

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Complete 15 semester hours from the following: ENTR, FINA, HRMG, INTB, MECN, MKTG, MGMT, MGSC, SCHM

Total Credits 50 cr

Online MS in Finance (OMSF)

The Northeastern University Online Master of Science in Finance is a fully online program with no campus residency requirements. Students may enter the program at one of six start dates per academic year. By adhering to a schedule established at the semester of entry the program may be completed in as little as 16 months. Students in the OMSF are classified as part-time and participate in one course at a time; completing core courses in the first year and capstone and elective courses in the second year.

Once students matriculate they must complete the program in the online format.

Students may receive waiver and/or transfer credit for up to 9 credits. A minimum of 21 credits must be taken within the D’Amore-McKim School of Business. Consult the Waiver Guidelines in Appendix A, page 76. A grade point average of 3.000 is required throughout the program.

Online MSF Academic Plan

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Complete 12 semester hours of electives from the following range:

FINA 6211 - FINA 6219 12 cr

Total Credits 30 cr

Online MS in Taxation (OMST)

The Northeastern University Online Master of Science in Taxation is a fully online
program with no campus residency requirements. Students may enter the program at one of six start dates per academic year. By adhering to a schedule established at the semester of entry the program may be completed in as little as 16 months. Students in the OMST are classified as part-time and participate in one course at a time; completing core courses in the first year and elective courses in the second year. Once students matriculate they must complete the program in the online format.

Students may receive waiver and/or transfer credit for up to 9 credits (waiver credit is limited to 6 credits). A minimum of 21 credits must be taken within the D’Amore-McKim School of Business. Consult the Waiver Guidelines in Appendix A, page 76. A grade point average of 3.000 is required throughout the program.

**Online MST Academic Plan**

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Complete 15 semester hours of electives from the following:
Any within the range of: ACCT 6239- ACCT 6265

**Total Credits**

30 cr

**Dual Online MBA and MS in Finance (OMBA/OMSF) Degree**

The Northeastern University dual Online MBA/Master of Science in Finance is a fully online program with no campus residency requirements. The OMBA/OMSF is available to second year Online MBA students who have achieved a minimum of a 3.0 GPA and a B grade in ACCT 6272, ACCT 6273, and FINA 6200. Students may apply to the dual program at any point during their second year. The OMBA/OMSF can be completed in as little as 36 months. Once students matriculate they must complete the program in the online format. The dual degree is listed on both the transcript and the diploma.

Students may receive waiver and/or transfer credit for up to 15 credits (transfer credit is limited to 9 credits). A minimum of 47 credits must be taken within the D’Amore-McKim School of Business. Consult the Waiver Guidelines in Appendix A, page 76. A grade point average of 3.000 is required throughout the program.

**Online MBA/MSF Academic Plan**

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Bachelor of Science in Business Administration/International Business/Master of Science in Finance (BSBA/BSIB/MSF) Program

This program provides undergraduate Finance majors in the Northeastern University D’Amore-McKim School of Business the opportunity to earn both their BSBA and MSF in 5 years. The Master of Science in Finance portion of the program requires 30 credits, 15 credits of required courses and 15 credits of electives. Students interested in pursuing the Chartered Financial Analyst (CFA) or Certified Financial Planner (CFP) designations should select appropriate electives. Participation in a corporate residency, co-op or internship during the graduate portion of the program is not available. A grade point average of 3.000 is required throughout the program.

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Bachelor of Science in Business Administration/International Business/Master of Science in International Management (BSBA/BSIB/MIM) Program

This program provides undergraduate BSBA or BSIB majors in the Northeastern University D’Amore-McKim School of Business the opportunity to earn both their BSBA/BSIB and MIM in 5 years. The Master of Science in International Management portion of the program requires 30 credits, 15 credits of required courses and 15 credits of electives.

Participation in a corporate residency, co-op, or internship during the graduate portion of the program is not available. A grade point average of 3.000 is required throughout the program.

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MIM Elective Courses 15 cr
Total Credits 30 cr

JD/MBA Dual Degree Program

The JD/MBA program offers students an opportunity to obtain both the JD and MBA degrees in a full-time, four-year course of study, which includes four one-quarter co-op work experiences arranged through the law school co-op office. Starting in the fall term, students are enrolled in the School of Law for a total of three years and the D’Amore- McKim School of Business for one year. JD/MBA candidates complete three years of law school, taking a break after either year one or year two to complete one year of business school. Information detailing the three years of JD course work and co-op is available at the School of Law website.

The course work for the MBA year consists of 46 semester credits, comprised of the following coursework:
Full-time MBA required coursework (as detailed starting on page 5): 16 cr

Concentration 1 electives: 12 cr

Select from Business Analytics, Corporate Innovation & Venturing, Entrepreneurship, Finance (Corporate or Innovative), Healthcare Management, International Business, Leading People & Organizations, Marketing, and Supply Chain Management

Concentration 2 electives: 12 cr


Open electives: 6 cr

3 credits must be experiential in nature

Total credits: 46 cr

Administrative Law
Advanced Income Taxation
Antitrust
Banking Law
Basic Income Taxation
Bioethics and the Law
Business Bankruptcy
Collective Bargaining
Commercial Law: Bankruptcy
Commercial Law: Secured Transactions
Communications Law
Computers, Technology, and the Law
Corporate Finance: Transactions
Corporate Finance: Reorganizations
Corporate Taxation
Corporations
Employment Discrimination
Employment Law
Entertainment Law
Environmental Decision-Making
Environmental Law
Health Law
Human Rights in the Global Economy
Intellectual Property
Intellectual Property Transactions
Practice
International Law
International Business Transactions
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**Nursing and Business Administration MS/MBA Program**

To earn the Nursing and Business Administration MS/MBA degree, you must complete twelve courses in nursing and twelve in business administration. The nursing curriculum integrates a two-semester practicum with the theory and knowledge base appropriate to advanced roles of the nurse manager; the business courses cover the full complement of functional courses delivered in four years of part-time study, although you can take up to seven years to complete the program. All courses are offered late in the day or evening at the Boston campus.

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**Business Electives** 4 cr

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*Note: Students may not take HRMG 6200 Managing People and Organizations or MGSC 6204 Managing Information Resources. The material in these courses is covered within the required nursing courses.*
Master of Science in Accounting/MBA Program

This 72-credit, full time, joint degree program is specifically designed for liberal arts and sciences and non-accounting majors who are interested in a business career. The 15 month, cohort program begins every June and includes a three month paid internship.

Degree Requirements

All of the courses are required; there are no electives.

A maximum of 6 credits may be waived. Please see “Appendix A - General Waiver Guidelines (page 78).” All waiver requests must be presented to the Graduate School of Professional Accounting office no later than the conclusion of the first week of the semester. Instructor approval may be required. A grade point average of 3.000 is required for graduation.

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INTB 6200  Managing the Global Enterprise  3 cr
ENTR 6211  Entrepreneurship: Services and Retail Business Creation  3 cr
MKTG 6200  Creating and Sustaining Customer Markets  3 cr
STRT 6200  Strategic Decision Making in a Changing Environment  3 cr

Total Credits: 24 cr
Total program credits: 72 cr

Master of Science in Accounting Program
The Master of Science in Accounting program is comprised of 30 credits and is approved by the Massachusetts State Board of Accountancy. The program is designed to be completed on a full-time basis. The majority of students follow a Summer/Fall curriculum plan.

Students will choose to specialize in either Audit or Tax, depending on their career path. Some of the Track Electives will include topics in Forensic Accounting or Auditing the High Tech Industry in the Audit Track, or State and Local Taxes or International Tax for those specializing in tax. A grade point average of 3.000 is required for graduation.

Required Courses:
- ACCT 6203  Business Entity Taxation  3 cr
- ACCT 6204  Financial Reporting for Integrated Multinational Enterprises  3 cr
- ACCT 6207  Contemporary and Emerging Issues in Financial Reporting  3 cr
- ACCT 6216  Financial Reporting for Government & Non-Profit Organizations  2 cr
- ACCT 6229  Accounting for Foreign Currency Transactions  1 cr
- ACCT 6253  Ethics in Professional Accounting  3 cr

Audit Track:
- ACCT 6205  Auditing in a Big Data Environment  3 cr
- ACCT 6217  Corporate Governance, Ethics and Financial Reporting  3 cr
- ACCT 6254  Accounting Research and Communication  3 cr

Taxation Track:
- ACCT 6231  Corporations and Shareholders  3 cr
- ACCT 6235  Partners and Partnerships  3 cr
- ACCT 6254  Accounting Research and Communication  3 cr
Track Electives

Complete two of the following courses:

- ACCT 6239 State and Local Taxation 3 cr
- ACCT 6240 International Taxation: Inbound Transactions 3 cr
- ACCT 6246 Retirement Plans 3 cr
- ACCT 6248 Income Taxation of Trusts and Estates 3 cr
- ACCT 6255 Forensic Accounting 3 cr
- ACCT 6256 Internal Audit 3 cr

Total program credits: 30 cr

Master of Science in Taxation Program

The Master of Science in Taxation program requires 30 credits, 15 credits of required courses and 15 credits of electives. Students may begin the program in the Fall, Spring, or Summer terms. Most students complete the program within two years while working full-time.

Students may receive transfer credit for up to 9 credits. A minimum of 21 credits must be taken within the D’Amore-McKim School of Business. A grade point average of 3.000 is required for graduation.

Required courses:

- ACCT 5230 Federal Tax Issues and Analysis 3 cr
- ACCT 6231 Corporations and Shareholders 3 cr
- ACCT 5232 Estate and Gift Taxation 3 cr
- ACCT 6233 Tax Research Methodology 1.5 cr
- ACCT 6234 Tax Practice, Procedures and Ethics 1.5 cr
- ACCT 6235 Partners and Partnerships 3 cr

Total Required credits 15 cr

MST Elective courses 15 cr

Total Program credits 30 cr

(Note: Electives for the MST degree are numbered ACCT 6236 through ACCT 6252. Students may take a maximum of 3 credits of non-tax electives towards completion of the MST degree.)

Students who are not admitted MST candidates must obtain permission from the GSPA office before registering for any MST designated courses. Students enrolled in the MST program may not register for online MST courses.)
JD/MSA/MBA

Law students with non-accounting undergraduate degrees are eligible for admission to a program leading to a concurrent JD/MSA/MBA. This degree combination is particularly effective preparation for those seeking careers in corporate practice, mergers and acquisitions, or taxation. The program enables students to earn these degrees in 45 months rather than the 48 months required if undertaken sequentially. Law students follow the regular program of the School of Law for two years and must apply to the Graduate School of Professional Accounting (GSPA) by January 15 of their second year. The summer and fall terms of the third year are academic terms in the GSPA; the spring term is spent on Corporate Residency at an accounting firm under the supervision of a staff attorney. The remaining summer term is devoted to further academic study in accounting and business. The fourth year consists of two terms of law school academic work and one co-op term.
CERTIFICATE PROGRAMS
350 Dodge Hall  gradcertificates@northeastern.edu  617-373-5992

Certificate programs allow students the opportunity to earn graduate business level credit without enrolling in a degree program. To earn the certificate, a student must attain a final cumulative grade point average of at least 3.000 in the required certificate curriculum within a three-year period (two years for the online certificate). An individual course may only count toward a single certificate.

Courses completed with a grade of B or better may transfer into an MBA or other qualifying MS programs at Northeastern University. If you have questions about the certificate programs, visit the office at 350 Dodge Hall, call 617.373.5992, or email gradcertificates@northeastern.edu. Students in the certificate programs do not have access to the MBA Career Center but they can use central career services.

Graduate Certificate in Business Administration

Graduate Certificate in Business Administration – Customizable Track

Students will earn their Graduate Certificate in Business Administration after completing minimum of 12 credits or maximum of 15 credits. They can take any available courses from the Part-time MBA schedule offered each semester. **Students must bear prerequisites in mind should they want to enroll in a class where prerequisites are required.** With the advice of administration and faculty, students tailor their own course of study either within a specific discipline or across disciplines. Students can design their own certificate by completing any courses from the MBA program (being mindful of prerequisites). **Note:** The part-time MBA track and the international student track require an additional 3 semester hours.

Part-Time MBA Track

This track is for students who are specifically interested in pursuing the Part-Time MBA upon completion of the certificate program. Upon successful completion of this track students are eligible to waive the GMAT/GRE requirement for admissions into the Part-time MBA, Part-time MBA/MS Finance programs. To be eligible for the GMAT/GRE waiver one must complete the prescribed graduate business courses listed below with a B or better in each class and earn a minimum cumulative grade-point average of 3.300. This track is not F1, student visa compliant.

**GENERAL REQUIREMENTS**

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International Student Track

This track is an opportunity for international students to study full-time, earning 15 graduate credits over two consecutive semesters. Students must take the following five core MBA courses as they become available for this particular section and must be enrolled full-time in their first semester of study.

- **ACCT 6200** Financial Reporting and Managerial Decision Making 1  3 cr
- **ENTR 6200** Enterprise Growth and Innovation  3 cr
- **HRMG 6200** Managing People and Organizations  3 cr
- **INTB 6200** Managing the Global Enterprise  3 cr
- **MKTG 6200** Creating and Sustaining Customer Markets  3 cr

**Total Credits**  15 cr

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**Graduate Certificate in Accounting and Financial Decision Making**

The Graduate Certificate in Accounting and Financial Decision Making consists of 6 classes, earning students 15 graduate credits over the course of two to three semesters. Students must take four required courses and can supplement their certificate with two electives. Credits earned in this certificate program can be applied toward a Part-Time MBA, Part-Time MSF/MBA, and other MS programs at Northeastern University. This program is F1/student visa compliant only in the Summer and Fall. International students are not eligible to start this program in the Spring semester.

- **ACCT 6200** Financial Reporting and Managerial Decision Making 1  3 cr
- **ACCT 6201** Financial Reporting and Managerial Decision Making 2  1.5 cr
- **FINA 6219** Portfolio Management  3 cr
- **MGSC 6200** Information Analysis  3 cr

**Electives**

- **MGSC 6204** Managing Information Resources  1.5 cr
- Any 3 credit elective

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**Graduate Certificate in Corporate Finance**

The Graduate Certificate in Corporate Finance consists of 4 to 5 classes, earning students 12 to 15 graduate credits over the course of three semesters or longer. Students must take one required course and can supplement their certificate with three or four electives. Credits earned in this certificate program can be applied toward a Part-Time MBA, Part-Time MSF/MBA, and other MS programs at Northeastern University. This program is not F1, student visa compliant.

**Required**

- **FINA 6205** Financial Strategy  3 cr
Graduate Certificate in Corporate Renewal

The Graduate Certificate in Corporate Renewal consists of 4 to 5 classes, earning students 12 to 15 graduate credits over the course of two semesters or longer. Students must choose one of the three required courses and can supplement their certificate with three or four electives. Your electives will be based on the required course that you choose. Credits earned in this certificate program can be applied toward a Part-Time MBA, Part-Time MSF/MBA, and other MS programs at Northeastern University. This program is not F1, student visa compliant.

Required (select one)

- FINA 6200 Value Creation through Financial Decision Making 3 cr
- HRMG 6200 Managing People and Organizations 3 cr
- MKTG 6200 Creating and Sustaining Customer Markets 3 cr

Electives

- ENTR 6214 Social Enterprise 3 cr
- FINA 6216 Valuation and Value Creation 3 cr
- HRMG 6212 Creating an Innovative Organization 3 cr
- HRMG 6218 Great Companies 3 cr
- MGMT 6214 Negotiations 3 cr
- MKTG 6214 New Product Development 3 cr
- MKTG 6216 Market Focused Strategy 3 cr

Graduate Certificate in Healthcare Administration & Policy

The Graduate Certificate in Healthcare Administration & Policy is an interdisciplinary certificate that consists of 4 to 5 classes, earning students minimum of 12 or maximum of 15 graduate credits over the course of three to four semesters. Students must take three required courses from D’Amore-McKim School of Business and Bouvé College of Health and Sciences. They can supplement their certificate with one or two additional business, law or health and science classes. Credits earned in this certificate program can be applied toward a Part-Time MBA, Part-Time MSF/MBA, and other MS programs at Northeastern University. This program is not F1, student visa compliant.
Required
HINF 5105  The American Healthcare System  3 cr
STRT 6220  Healthcare System  3 cr
HRMG 6220  Health Organization Management  3 cr

Electives
HINF 5101  Introduction to Health Informatics & Health Information  3 cr
LAW 7617  Economic Perspectives on Health Policy  4 cr
PHTH 5232  Evaluating Healthcare Quality  3 cr
SCHM 6223  Managing Healthcare Supply Chain Operations  3 cr

Graduate Certificate in Innovation Management

The Graduate Certificate in Innovation Management consists of 4 to 5 classes, earning students minimum of 12 or maximum of 15 graduate credits over the course of one to three semesters. Students must take one required course and can supplement their certificate with three to four electives. Credits earned in this certificate program can be applied toward a Part-Time MBA, Part-Time MSF/MBA, and other MS programs at Northeastern University. This program is eligible for F1, student visa.

Required
ENTR 6200  Enterprise Growth and Innovation  3 cr

Electives
ENTR 6212  Business Planning for New Ventures  3 cr
ENTR 6214  Social Enterprise  3 cr
ENTR 6218  Business Model Design & Innovation  3 cr
ENTR 6220  Family Business Leadership and Governance  3 cr
ENTR 6222  Competing in Dynamic, Innovation-Driven Markets  3 cr
ENTR 6224  Intellectual Property & Other Legal Aspects of Business & Innovation  3 cr
ENTR 6225  Corporate Entrepreneurship through Global Growth, Acquisition, & Alliances  3 cr
ENTR 6293  Design Thinking for Market-Driven Innovation  3 cr
MGMT 6210  Law for Managers & Entrepreneurs  3 cr
MKTG 6214  New Product Development  3 cr
TECE 6222  Emerging and Disruptive Technologies  3 cr
TECE 6230  Entrepreneurial Marketing & Selling  3 cr
TECE 6250  Lead Design & Development  3 cr
TECE 6300  Managing a Technology-Based Business  3 cr
TECE 6340  The Technical Entrepreneur as Leader  3 cr
Graduate Certificate in International Business

The Graduate Certificate in International Business consists of 4 to 5 classes, earning students minimum of 12 or maximum of 15 graduate credits over the course of one to three semesters. Students must take two required courses and can supplement their certificate with two to three electives. Credits earned in this certificate program can be applied toward a Part-Time MBA, Part-Time MSF/MBA, and other MS programs at Northeastern University. This program is eligible for F1, student visa.

**Required**

- INTB 6200  Managing the Global Enterprise  3 cr  
- INTB 6212  Cultural Aspects of International Business  3 cr  

**Electives**

- FINA 6204  International Finance Management  3 cr  
- MKTG 6212  International Marketing  3 cr  
- INTB 6224  Competing to Win in Emerging Markets  3 cr  
- INTB 6230  International Filed Study  3 cr  
- SCHM 6213  Global Supply Chain Management  3 cr  
- INTB 6226  Becoming a Global Leader  3 cr  
- MECN 6200  Global Competition and Market Dominance  3 cr  
- ENTR 6200  Enterprise Growth & Innovation  3 cr

Graduate Certificate in Investments

The Graduate Certificate in Investments consists of 4 to 5 classes, earning students 12 to 15 graduate credits over the course of three semesters or longer. Students must take one required course and can supplement their certificate with three or four electives. Credits earned in this certificate program can be applied toward a Part-Time MBA, Part-Time MSF/MBA, and other MS programs at Northeastern University. This program is not F1, student visa compliant.

**Required**

- FINA 6203  Investment Analysis  3 cr  

**Electives**

- FINA 6211  Financial Risk Management  3 cr  
- FINA 6212  Fixed Income Securities  3 cr  
- FINA 6213  Investment Banking  3 cr  
- FINA 6217  Real Estate Finance and Investment  3 cr  
- FINA 6218  Personal Financial Planning  3 cr  
- FINA 6219  Portfolio Management  3 cr

Graduate Certificate in Leadership and Human Capital

The Graduate Certificate in Leadership and Human Capital consists of 4 to 5 classes, earning
students minimum of 12 or maximum of 15 graduate credits over the course of one to three semesters. Students must take one required course and can supplement their certificate with three to four electives. Credits earned in this certificate program can be applied toward a Part-Time MBA, Part-Time MSF/MBA, and other MS programs at Northeastern University. This program is eligible for F1, student visa.

**Required**

HRMG 6200  Managing People and Organizations  3 cr

**Electives**

HRMG 6210  Managing Professionals & High Performance Teams  3 cr
HRMG 6212  Creating an Innovative Organization  3 cr
HRMG 6213  Leadership  3 cr
HRMG 6214  A Management Perspective of Human Resource Management  3 cr
HRMG 6218  Great Companies  3 cr
HRMG 6219  Leadership for Environmental Sustainability  3 cr
HRMG 6220  Health Organization Management  3 cr
MGMT 6214  Negotiations  3 cr
STRT 6210  Workforce Metrics & Analytics  3 cr

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**Graduate Certificate in Marketing**

The Graduate Certificate in Marketing consists of 4 to 5 classes, earning students a minimum of 12 or maximum of 15 graduate credits over the course of one to three semesters. Students must take one required course and can supplement their certificate with three to four electives. Credits earned in this certificate program can be applied toward a Part-Time MBA, Part-Time MSF/MBA, and other MS programs at Northeastern University. This program is eligible for F2, student visa only in the Spring semester.

**Required**

MKTG 6200  Creating and Sustaining Customer Markets  3 cr

**Electives**

MKTG 6212  International Marketing  3 cr
MKTG 6214  New Product Development  3 cr
MKTG 6216  Market Focused Strategy  3 cr
MKTG 6218  Marketing in Services  3 cr
MKTG 6222  Digital Marketing  3 cr
MKTG 6223  Brand and Advertising Management  3 cr
MKTG 6224  B2B and Strategic Sales  3 cr
MKTG 6226  Consumer Behavior  3 cr
MKTG 6260  Special Topics in Marketing  3 cr
Graduate Certificate in Mutual Fund Management

The Graduate Certificate in Mutual Fund Management consists of 4 to 5 classes, earning students 12 to 15 graduate credits over the course of three semesters or longer. Students must take one required course and can supplement their certificate with three or four electives. Credits earned in this certificate program can be applied toward a Part-Time MBA, Part-Time MSF/MBA, and other MS programs at Northeastern University.

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Graduate Certificate in Supply Chain Management

The Graduate Certificate in Supply Chain Management consists of four to five courses, 12 or 15 credits. Credits earned in this program can transfer into a Northeastern MBA as electives or in some cases Engineering Masters (check with advisor). There are two required courses and room for two to three electives. This program is eligible for F1, student visa.

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Graduate Certificate in Technological Entrepreneurship

The Graduate Certificate in Technological Entrepreneurship consists of four courses, 12 credits, completed over a period not to exceed three years. Credits earned in the certificate program may be applied towards the Master in Technological Entrepreneurship, the Pat-time MBA or in some cases Engineering Masters (check with...
This program is eligible for F1, student visa.

**Required**

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**Online Graduate Certificate in Supply Chain Management**

The Online Graduate Certificate in Supply Chain Management consists of four courses.

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**Program Total Credits**

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**COURSE DESCRIPTIONS**

Course Descriptions for all current courses and an archive of all courses offered since Fall 2003 may be found at the Registrar's Website (registrar.northeastern.edu)
ACADEMIC CODE OF CONDUCT

A Statement of Principles and Expectations of Graduate Business Students

Above all else, students are expected to ensure that their conduct helps to create an atmosphere conducive to learning and the interchange of knowledge. While it is understood that some of these items are subject to interpretation, students should nonetheless endeavor to:

1. Be respectful of fellow students, staff, and faculty.
2. Not discriminate against fellow students in any manner.
3. Contribute a fair share to team efforts and allow all classmates to participate and be heard.
4. Attend every class unless extenuating circumstances arise, turn assignments in on time, and follow instructions on all assignments including those affecting the use of technology.
5. Be truthful in speech and other forms of communication, which includes, but is not limited to, avoiding academic dishonesty.

The Graduate Student Honor Code

Specific Policies and Procedures (Based on Northeastern University Guidelines)

Academic dishonesty violates the most fundamental values of an intellectual community and depreciates the achievements of the entire University community. Accordingly, Northeastern University views academic dishonesty as one of the most serious offenses that a student can commit while in college.

The following is a broad overview of what constitutes academic dishonesty. It is not meant to be an all-encompassing definition.

Cheating Defined as intentionally using or attempting to use unauthorized materials, information, teaching notes, or study aids in any academic exercise.

Examples:

- Unauthorized use of notes, text, or other aids during an examination
- Copying from another student's examination, research paper, case write-up, homework, computer disc, USB drive or other electronic medium
- Sharing answers during an examination
- Communicating during an examination
- Handing in the same paper for more than one course without the explicit permission of the instructor
- Perusing a test before it is given
- Hiding notes in an electronic device for use during an examination
**Fabrication** Defined as falsification, misrepresentation, or invention of any information, data, or citation in an academic exercise.

Examples:

- Making up the data for a research paper
- Altering the results of a lab experiment or survey
- Listing a citation for a source not used
- Stating an opinion as a scientifically proven fact

**Plagiarism** Defined as representing the words or ideas of another as one’s own without providing proper documentation of source in a footnote, endnote, or intratextual note.

The following sources demand notation:

- Word-for-word quotation from a source, including another student’s work
- Paraphrase: using the ideas of others in your own words
- Unusual or controversial facts (facts not apt to be found in many places)
- Interviews, radio, television programs, information from the Internet, and telephone conversations

**Unauthorized Collaboration** This refers to instances when students, each claiming sole authorship, submit separate reports that are substantially similar to one another.

Specific faculty instructions regarding the need to do individual or group work should be adhered to.

**Participation in Academically Dishonest Activities**

Examples:

- Stealing an examination
- Purchasing a pre-written paper through a mail-order or other service, including via the Internet
- Sharing questions and/or answers from an exam with students from another section of the same course
- Selling, loaning, or otherwise distributing materials for the purpose of cheating, plagiarism, or other academically dishonest acts
- Alteration, theft, forgery, or destruction of academic work of other students, library materials, laboratory materials or academic records including transcripts, course registration cards, course syllabi, and examination/course grades
- Intentionally missing an examination or assignment deadline to gain an unfair advantage
**Facilitating Academic Dishonesty:** Defined as helping or attempting to violate any provision of this policy.

Examples:

- Inaccurately listing someone as co-author of a paper, case write up, or project who did not contribute
- Sharing with another student a take-home examination, homework assignment, case write-up, lab report, and so on, without expressed permission from the instructor
- Taking an examination or writing a paper for another student

Students are expected to bring forward observed breaches of the honor code to instructors or a member of the administration.

By submitting his/her work the student is indicating that it has been prepared in accordance with the Graduate Student Honor Code.

**Guidelines for Handling Academic Honesty Issues**

All members of the Northeastern University community share a role in upholding the Academic Honesty Policy. Any member of the community who witnesses a violation of this policy should report it to the appropriate faculty member or their academic program office.

Faculty who believe a student has violated the Academic Honesty Policy may choose to invoke individual course penalties and/or refer the case to the Office of Student Conduct and Conflict Resolution. Individual course penalties can result in, but are not restricted to, failing the assignment/assessment, failing the course or any other appropriate academic outcome, in addition to any University imposed penalty. Students may appeal individual course penalties through the Resolving Academic Disputes process below.

Cases referred to the Office of Student Conduct and Conflict Resolution (OSCCR) will be referred to the University's Student Conduct Board. If a student is found responsible for violating the Academic Integrity Policy, a minimum sanction of deferred suspension and a paper will be imposed. A second violation will result in expulsion from the University. Students found responsible for violating the Academic Integrity Policy through OSCR may appeal their sanction through the established OSCR appeal process, but may not then appeal the academic outcome through the Academic Dispute procedure.

**Procedures for Resolving Academic Disputes**

If a student is in doubt about an action to be taken or how to respond to another's action, the student should consult with a Graduate Business Programs staff member to receive guidance on appropriate next steps.
When questions and concerns arise about a grade, classroom performance and expectations, academic conduct, etc. the student should meet first with the professor teaching the course to seek resolution. In instances where issues are not resolved, the student should then meet with the Group Coordinator who supervises the faculty member. If the student is not satisfied, the student may seek a formal resolution by submitting a written statement within one month of the event (20 working days) to the Associate Dean for Graduate Programs describing the situation and offering a proposed resolution.

The Associate Dean will provide a written response within 30 days. The Associate Dean has the discretion to consult the Professor, the Group Coordinator, the Graduate Programs Committee (which functions as the Academic Standing Committee for Graduate Business Programs), or others.

If the student is still not satisfied, the student may, within 30 days of the receipt of the Associate Dean's disposition, request a University-level review from the Vice Provost for Graduate Education who will convene an appeals resolution committee and issue a decision.

A member of the faculty or staff who remains dissatisfied after attempting to review an academic honor code dispute with a student can request a review by filing a written complaint with the Vice Provost for Graduate Education, who will initiate the "discipline process" specified in the University Student Handbook, available at http://www.northeastern.edu/gradhandbook or refer the case to the Office of Student Conduct and Conflict Resolution (OSCCR).

ACADEMIC INFORMATION

Waivers

A course waiver may be granted to a student in the Part-Time MBA, Online MBA, MSF Online MSF, Online MST or MSIB program who has completed prior undergraduate coursework at an AACSB-accredited institution within the past five years with a grade of “B” or better (grades of “B–” do not qualify). The student is excused from taking the required course and the total credits for graduation will be reduced. Waived courses will not appear on the final transcript. See Appendix A: General Waiver Guidelines (page 78) for waiver criteria for core MBA courses. Waiver requests for other courses will be considered on an individual case basis. Please consult with your academic advisor for additional information.

Students are required to submit official transcripts (if not included in the application package) and syllabi for each waiver request. Students may be asked to provide additional documentation. New students may contest initial waiver decisions, or request additional waivers only during their first semester (within 60 days of admission for all online programs). After this time period, waivers will not be granted.

Waiver credits plus transfer credits may never exceed one-third of the total credits for the degree such that at least two-thirds of the course requirements must be earned in the graduate program.
**Transfer Credit Policy**

A student may petition during the admission process for transfer credit of up to 9 credits for either a required course or an elective, subject to the requirements of the individual program. The course considered for transfer credit must be a graduate-level course in an AACSB-accredited graduate program, completed within the past five years, and with a grade of a "B" or better. (A "B-" will not qualify.) The course description or syllabus must be attached to the petition. Grades of transferred courses are not calculated in a student’s GPA. Once enrolled in a D’Amore-McKim School of Business graduate program, a student may be approved for transfer credit only if a comparable course is not offered at Northeastern.

Up to 6 quarter hours of credit (4.5 semester hours) may be transferred from courses in graduate programs offered by Northeastern University's College of Professional Studies.

Waiver credits plus transfer credits may never exceed one-third of the total credits for the degree such that at least two-thirds of the course requirements must be earned in the graduate program.

**Independent Study**

Independent study projects can be approved for 1, 1.5, 2, 3, or 4 credits. Students are generally limited to 6 credits of independent study credit (typically two 3-credit hour projects). A student is expected to complete approximately 40 hours of independent work for each credit.

Petitions for independent study must be submitted to the Program Director for approval at least one month prior to the first week of classes in the semester in which the course will be taken and must:

- Outline the academic work to be completed, an interim measure of evaluation, and the final product that will be submitted, with a weekly task schedule.
- Specify the criteria for evaluation.
- Identify the course requirement the independent study will cover.
- Be signed by the sponsoring faculty member, certifying the academic validity of the work. The faculty member must be a member of the full-time faculty.
- Signed by the sponsoring faculty member’s Group Coordinator.

If the petition is approved, registration will be confirmed. Students conducting independent studies are subject to all registration and academic guidelines including incomplete grade regulations.

**International Programs for Elective Credit**

Each summer the College of Business offers INTB 6230 - International Field Study, a travel/study abroad course. MBA or MSIB students may take this course for elective credit. Past locations have included China, The Middle East, India, Russia, Southeast Asia, Central and South Americas and Central Eastern Europe. This course may be repeated once on a space available basis.
Nonbusiness Electives

Students may petition to take up to 12 credits of graduate courses at Northeastern University outside the D’Amore-McKim School of Business (excluding the College of Professional Studies) to satisfy elective requirements, subject to the requirements of the individual program and prior approval by their Advisor or Program Director. The petition must demonstrate how the course(s) will expand a student’s management skills, or enhance achievement of career goals. Grades of nonbusiness graduate electives taken at Northeastern count in computation of the cumulative grade-point average necessary for completion of degree requirements, and are not treated as transfer courses.

However, courses from the College of Professional Studies are considered transfer credits as noted above.

Foreign language courses are offered at Northeastern for undergraduate credit only in 4 semester hour units. MBA students wishing to take foreign language courses as electives may petition for nonbusiness electives and append a statement that specifies all prior foreign language work/experience, career goals, how foreign language electives will support those goals, and the proficiency desired, as well as a list and schedule of desired courses. Grades will count in computation of the cumulative grade-point average.

Credits will be translated as follows:

- Two introductory undergraduate language courses (8 semester hour credits) will earn 3 graduate semester hour credits.
- Each upper level undergraduate course (4 semester hour credits) will earn 3 graduate semester hour credits.
- Students are limited to 9 semester hours of MBA credit for languages, subject to the waiver and transfer credit requirements of the individual program.
- Language courses taken prior to MBA matriculation will not be accepted for transfer credit.

Transfer Among Programs

Transfers to the Part-Time MBA Program

From the Full-time MBA Program:

- Transfer must occur before semester 3 and prior to Corporate Residency of the Full-time MBA program.
- Student must have at least a 3.0 grade point average in the Full-time MBA program.
- All credits earned will transfer.
- Individual core courses taken in the Full-time MBA program will be accepted as fulfilling the corresponding requirements in the Part-Time MBA program.
- The transferring student must fulfill all remaining Part-Time MBA requirements, even if this results in a degree total of more than 60 credits.

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• Students may not transfer back to the original program.
Transfer requests should be directed to the Assistant Dean and Director, Program and Student Services.

From other Northeastern University MBA Programs:
• Transfer will be granted upon the mutual agreement of the Program Directors for the two programs.
• All credits earned will transfer.
• Individual core courses taken in the previous program will be accepted as fulfilling the corresponding requirements in the Part-Time MBA program.
• The transferring student must fulfill all remaining Part-Time MBA requirements, even if this results in a total degree of more than 60 credits.
• Students may not transfer back to their original program.
Transfer requests should be directed to the Assistant Dean and Director, Program and Student Services

From all other programs:
• Students must apply to the Part-Time MBA program following the usual process for new students.
• If the student is accepted, waiver and transfer credit for individual courses will be granted under the current guidelines for the Part-Time MBA program.

The Assistant Dean and Director, Program and Student Services may rule on appeals to these conditions.

Transfers to the Full-time MBA Program
All students wishing to enroll in the Full-time MBA Program must apply to the program following the established process for new students. If the student is accepted, the student will enter the Full-time MBA program with the next entering Fall class (i.e., students may not join the Full-time MBA program midyear). Transfer credit for individual courses will be granted under the current guidelines for the Full-time MBA program.

The Associate Dean, Graduate Programs may rule on appeals to these conditions.

Transfers to the MSF/MBA Program
From the Full-time MBA Program or the Part-Time MBA Program:
Students in the Full-time MBA or Part-Time MBA program may request to transfer to the corresponding MSF/MBA program. They must meet the following criteria:
• Completed the core Finance course and FINA 6203 Investment Analysis.
• Achieved an overall GPA of 3.000 or better.
• Achieved a GPA in all Finance courses of 3.000 or better.
Transfer requests should be submitted in writing to the Academic Advisor
From all other programs:

- Students must apply to the MSF/MBA program following the usual process for new students.
- If the student is accepted, waiver and transfer credit for individual courses will be granted under the current guidelines for the MSF/MBA program.

Questions regarding transfer should be directed to the appropriate Academic Advisor.

Transfers to the MSF, MSIB or MSTE Program (full or part time)

From all programs:

- Students must apply to the program following the usual process for new students.
- If the student is accepted, waiver and transfer credit for individual courses will be granted under the current guidelines for the program.

Questions regarding transfer should be directed to the appropriate Academic Advisor.

Transfers to and from the Online Graduate Business Programs- OMBA, OMSF, and OMST

Transfers into or from an Online Graduate Business program to/from a non-online Northeastern Graduate Business program may only occur one time. Students who transfer must meet and adhere to the program requirements of the program to which they transfer. If a student decides to return to the original program, after the transfer is complete, they must reapply to the program. Students may receive the maximum transfer credits permitted in the program to which they are transferring. Questions and requests should be directed to the Director of Distance Learning Programs and the Director of current program.

Registration

Registration Procedure

The Office of the Dean in 101 Hayden Hall, with the Office of the Registrar in Suite 200 at 271 Huntington Avenue, serves as the final interpreter of course registration status and all other registration policies and procedures. Students are advised to follow all published rules and procedures.

Graduate Course Offerings are posted at Registrar's website: registrar.northeastern.edu/article/schedule-of-classes. Updated course information is available at their web site and published in the weekly newsletter.

- Day sections of required courses are typically reserved for full-time students.
- Evening/Saturday sections of required courses are typically reserved for Part-Time MBA students. Non-business students may be allowed in these courses if space is available.
- Students from all graduate business programs take elective courses which are generally, offered in evenings or on weekends.
- Courses for Online MBA, Online MSF and Online MST programs are restricted...
to Online students only and are designated accordingly.

- Course registration for online courses ends one week prior to first day of term.

Students register for courses via the myNortheastern Web Portal (my.northeastern.edu). Students should consult with their advisor regarding course offerings, registration and degree requirements.

**One-Credit Course Limit**

A maximum of 6 one-credit courses may be used to meet graduation requirements. A variety of one-credit special topics electives is offered each term. The courses will have pass-fail grading.

**Course Load and Registration for International Students**

To maintain the required full-time status, international students must enroll in a minimum of 8 credits each semester. Registration for Corporate Residency, though counted as zero credits, qualifies for full-time status. Prior to taking a corporate residency, international students must file the necessary paperwork with OGS for Curricular Practical Training and adhere to the start and end dates as approved.

Course Load during Corporate Residency

While students are on corporate residency, their priority is to their employer. Students should not take any classes during Summer 2 while they adjust to corporate residency. With their employer's and the Career Center's permission, students may take a maximum of six credits per semester while on residency. Courses while on residency can only be in the evening or on Saturdays and only if they do not conflict with work hours. No day classes are allowed while on residency. Pre-approval must be received from the Career Center prior to registering. Corporate residency is a full-time commitment.

**Closed Courses and Late Adds**

The D’Amore-McKim School of Business maintains a policy of limiting enrollment to classes on a first-come, first-served basis. No wait-lists are formed. A reasonable class size enables faculty members to devote ample time to students as individuals. Too many, or even too few students, can harm the dynamics of the class experience. It would be unfair to all students not to limit class size.

Graduating students will receive priority for closed courses if they require the course to graduate. Requests for enrollment in a closed course, or a late add (after the second week of class) should be made to your Academic Advisor.

**Course Attendance and Withdrawals**

Students are expected to attend all class sessions. Unless otherwise stated in the syllabus, failure to attend the first 2 class meetings may result in withdrawal from the course. Online students are expected to participate as outlined in the course syllabi.

To withdraw from an on-ground course with a full tuition credit, a student must
officially drop the course by the end of the second week of classes in full Fall and Spring semesters or the first week of classes in a half summer term. (Note: Course weeks are counted as seven days from the first day of class, not based on a Monday-Friday week.) Course withdrawal and tuition charges or refunds for dropped courses follow the University schedule and policies as outlined on the Registrar's website (registrar.northeastern.edu).

Online students who wish to stop taking a course with no academic or financial obligation must request a drop within the first 20% of the course. After the first 20% of the course, and prior to the last 7 days of a course, a student can request a Withdraw. Students who withdraw will receive a W on their transcripts and are responsible for all tuition and fees associated with the course. Registration, adding and dropping courses is available through myNortheastern. Students should check their registration through their myNortheastern account to ensure the accuracy of their add/drop transactions.

Ceasing to attend class or notifying the instructor of withdrawal does not constitute official course withdrawal. Students will be charged full tuition and will be subject to grades of I, W, U, or F should they fail to withdraw officially. Tuition adjustments are granted only on the basis of the date on which the withdrawal form is filed and processed in the Registrar's Office.

**Grades**

Grades routinely awarded are:

- **A, A-** A is awarded for work whose quality is at an exceptionally high level for a graduate degree. A- indicates a high, but not exceptional level of quality.
- **B+, B, B-** B is awarded for work whose quality is at the expected level for a graduate degree. B+ or B- indicates quality that is slightly above or below the expected level, respectively.
- **C+, C, C-** C is awarded for work whose quality is fair, but below the expected level for a graduate degree. C+ or C- indicates quality that is slightly above or below the expected level, respectively.
- **F** This grade is awarded for work whose quality is at a failing level.

Other grades that may be awarded are:

- **NE** Not Enrolled For students who register but fail to attend full tuition
- **S** Satisfactory For an elective course in the pass/fail system
- **U** Unsatisfactory For an elective course in the pass/fail system
- **P** In Progress A temporary grade, usually given for the first course in a 2 course sequence

Grades awarded infrequently include:

- **I** Incomplete: This grade is used only when a final exam or final project has not been completed, the instructor has granted an extension of time and an incomplete grade contract has been completed. A student who has not completed assignment during the semester will be given a final grade based on work submitted. The final exam or paper
must be made up within the semester following that in which the “I” is received, unless the instructor grants an extension in writing, which may not exceed two additional academic semesters. Courses for which incomplete grades are not cleared after the extension period will be considered repeated courses for the purposes of degree requirements.

W Withdrew: This grade is recorded on the transcript of a student who drops a course officially with the Registrar’s Office after the third week and before the twelfth week of the semester, after the second and before the sixth week of a half-semester. For online students a “W” grade will be recorded on the transcripts of a students who drops after the first 20% of a course and before the last seven days of a course.

* Grade not submitted: This designation can result from an error in registration or delayed submission of final grades by an instructor. This never appears on official transcripts, and is removed as soon as grades are received or the registration problem is resolved.

Grades are available through myNortheastern shortly after grades are closed. Online program grades are generally available two weeks from the course end date. Questions about particular grades should be directed to the professor.

Compensating for a Failing Grade

A failed required course may be repeated only once, and must be completed with a grade of C- or better the next term that the course is offered (after 12 months for online students). A student who fails to complete a repeated required course within the designated time frame will be blocked from taking all other courses until the student completes the course with a grade of C- or better. In an elective course, the student may repeat the elective once and earn a grade of C- or better or may petition to substitute another elective. If the student earns a second grade of F in a repeated course, the Graduate Programs Committee must withdraw the student.

No more than 110% of credits of a graduate program may be taken for any reason. Repeated courses may be taken to replace an F and to raise the grade point average, but will count in the total number of credits taken. Extra courses, up to the 110% may be taken to attain the minimum grade-point average. No course may be repeated more than once.

Academic Standing and Continuing Student Status

Students may be accepted into a program on a conditional or provisional basis. Once the condition(s) or provision(s) are met, the student is officially accepted. If the condition(s) or provision(s) are not met by the designated deadline, the student may be withdrawn from the program.

All students must maintain a prescribed cumulative grade point average (GPA) to continue in their program. Failure to do so may result in an official written warning, academic probation or dismissal. Failure to meet the conditions of any warning or probation may result in continued probation or dismissal. Cumulative grade point average requirements for each program and corresponding levels for a Warning, Probation or Dismissal are as outlined on page 54.
Unless otherwise noted, Students must complete all degree requirements in no more than 7 years (5 years for the online programs) and are expected to maintain continuous progress toward a degree. Continuous progress is defined as:

**Full-time MBA, MSF/MBA and JD/MBA – Minimum of 8 credits per semester, or actively participating in a Corporate Residency.**

**Part-time MBA, Evening MSF/MBA, MSF (full or part-time), MST (full or part-time), MSTE (full or part-time), and MSIB (full or part-time) – Minimum of 3 credits per semester.**

**Online MBA, Online MSF, Online MST and Online MBA/MSF- Minimum of 3 credits per term.**

A student who does not maintain continuous progress for two consecutive semesters will be issued a warning to resume continuous progress for the following semester. Failure to do so may result in withdrawal from the program. A withdrawn student must submit a written request to resume graduate study, detailing the circumstances that led to withdrawal and describe the specific academic plan the student will follow to complete remaining degree requirements satisfactorily.

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A student may request a leave of absence from a program by writing a letter to the Director of their program. The letter should include the intended return date and a plan of academic study to complete the degree upon return. To return from a leave of absence or to receive an extension on the maximum time allowed to complete a degree, a request must be written to the Director, including a plan to complete the degree.

A student in the MS Innovation or MSA/MBA program who fails or withdraws from any required course puts their academic standing in jeopardy and must consult with their Program Director and/or the Associate Dean. The failed (or incomplete) course must be repeated as soon as it is offered. The student will not be allowed to continue in courses for which the student does not satisfy all prerequisites.

Students in the MSA/MBA program who do not pass ACCT 6220 will not satisfy the prerequisite to progress to ACCT 6221 in July. Students counseled out of the program at this point may take financial accounting courses at other institutions and petition to be re-admitted in the following year at the discretion of the Director of the Graduate School of Professional Accounting. Students who fail any required course before the end of Fall Semester may lose the opportunity to participate in an internship at the discretion of the GSPA office and the participating firms.

Full-time MBA students on academic probation are not eligible for corporate residency.

**Transcripts**

Official transcripts can be obtained at Registrar's Office, 271 Huntington Avenue, Suite 200 (617.373.2300, registrar.northeastern.edu). There is no charge. Students may obtain an unofficial transcript through their myNortheastern account.

**Honor Society**

The top 20% of graduates in each Graduate Business program are offered membership in Beta Gamma Sigma, the international business honor society. Beta Gamma Sigma is restricted to business schools where all programs meet accreditation standards of The Association to Advance Collegiate Schools of Business (AACSB). Its purpose is "to encourage and reward scholarship and accomplishment among students of business administration, to promote the advancement of education in the art and science of business, and to foster
integrity in the conduct of business operations." Induction to Beta Gamma Sigma occurs each graduation. The society will contact eligible students directly.

Cumulative grade-point averages are the basis for calculating these percentages and eligibility is determined by the program and student services staff. Neither the college nor the university maintains a class rank list.

**Graduation**

In the Fall of each year, the University Registrar sends a notice to all potential graduating students to register for Commencement. Through this registration, students will indicate their expected graduation date, if they will participate in the commencement ceremony, how their name should appear on their diploma, and other pertinent information. Failure to properly register will delay the issuance of the diploma.

Commencement exercises for D’Amore-McKim Graduate Students are held each year at the end of the Summer II session. Diplomas are also awarded after the end of the Fall and Spring terms. These graduates are invited to participate in the Summer Commencement.

All financial obligations to the University must be discharged before graduation. Diplomas will not be issued and transcripts are unavailable until students' accounts (financial, library, etc.) are clear.

International students are required to submit a Program Completion Form with ISSI prior to graduation. International Students who plan to work in the U.S. after graduation using Optional Practical Training must petition for OPT before the last day of classes in their last term.

**TUITION AND FEES**

Tuition and fees vary for the different programs and are subject to revision by the Board of Trustees at any time. Current tuition and fees are available on the Registrar's website (registrar.northeastern.edu).

**Tuition Bills and Payments**

Northeastern utilizes an online billing system. Students will be notified at their Northeastern e-mail address whenever an online bill is generated. They should then log onto their myNortheastern account and click on "NU Pay" to view the bill and pay online. Payment plans and due dates are noted on the invoice. A late fee is levied for late payments. Students who default on tuition will be blocked from further activity in the program and will be held liable for the outstanding tuition and all reasonable associated collection costs incurred by the University, including attorney's fees. The financially blocked student will be prohibited from using University services, such as the library and recreation facilities, their registration will be canceled and the student will not be able to reregister or receive a grade report until the financial situation is rectified.

Tuition payment expected for a course where a student officially withdraws from the course follows the schedule established by Customer Service. Non-attendance at a class or verbally informing a faculty member will not constitute official withdrawal from a course.

Questions regarding refunds should be discussed directly with Student Financial Services.
All students who are registered for 6 or more credits will be billed for state mandated health insurance. Students with health insurance that meet state mandated minimum may waive out of this fee. Waiver instructions and deadlines are included with the bill.

Financing the Program

Most financial aid available for graduate business programs is through loans. The Office of Student Financial Services is in 356 Richards Hall may be contacted in person, by phone (617.373.5899), by fax (617.373.8735), by email (sfs@northeastern.edu) and via the web: studentfinance.northeastern.edu.

Scholarships

Merit Scholarships are awarded at the time of admission. Additional merit funds are not available thereafter. Other endowed scholarships may be available during the academic year. Application information and deadlines for these scholarships will be announced in the Grad eNewsLetter. College scholarships are expendable only for tuition and may be renewed annually if the student maintains a 3.000 GPA and/or adheres to the guidelines outlined in their award letter.

FACILITIES AND RESOURCES

The Graduate Career Center

The Career Center offers a wide array of services to current students and alumni of the D’Amore-Mckim School of Business MBA and MS programs. Evening and Online MBA and MS students have access to services of the Career Center once they have completed at least 50% of their program requirements and are in good academic standing.

Students must provide confirmation of eligibility from their academic advisor to access services. The Career Center can provide the form for you. Students with extenuating circumstances may request earlier access through the Career Center Director. The Career Center’s mission is to provide students with the best resources that will enable them to make informed career choices, to help Full-time MBA students obtain Corporate Residency positions and to assist with full-time employment opportunities. The Career Center is located in 312 Dodge Hall (617-373-3003).

Career Management Online Tools

All MBA and MS Students and Alumni have access to the career management tools and materials on the website: http://www.damore-mckim.northeastern.edu/graduate- career-center. This resource is available for all MBA students regardless of their time in the program.

Career Resources

The Career Center subscribes to a variety of valuable online resources to support student networking and job search activities. Access to these resources is through GTS, the online job posting database available to students. Access to GTS is provided by the Career Center, students can request access at any time to utilize the tools. Students and alumni must have a final resume reviewed and approved by the Career Center to gain GTS access for applying to posted positions and to be included in resume books.

Available resources include:
• Going Global: Country and city specific resources to support your job search.
• Hoovers: Detailed company information including officers, financial data, recent news coverage, competitors, etc.
• Vault’s Career Insider – Leading source of career intelligence. Helps you research companies, industries and career subjects. Great to help you prepare for interviews.

**Career Center Blog**
Timely updates on job search and career management topics will be available on the Career Center blog.  http://gettoworkblog.wordpress.com.

**Career Clips**
The Career Center has a library of Career Clips videos online that are available to all graduate business students and alumni. These sessions cover a wide variety of topics including job search strategies, resumes, cover letters, interviews, LinkedIn, networking, salary negotiations and more.

**Career Expos**
The Career Center supports both Fall and Spring Career Expo events which brings multiple employers to campus or to a virtual event. Some employers will be seeking students for full-time positions. These events offer great networking opportunities. The Career Center also supports the annual Supply Chain Expo. Events are posted in GTS and listed each week in the Grad eNewsletter. Emails will be sent to husky email addresses.

**Advising**
The Career Center staff offers career assessment advising, career counseling, and job search coaching on an individual basis. Every eligible and interested student should review their career strategy with a member of the Career Center staff. Call the Career Center to schedule a meeting. Your resume must be approved by your advisor to gain access to GTS for job postings.

**Job Search Information**
The Career Center provides access to GTS for graduate students and alumni. This web-based recruiting management system reflects all current postings for both corporate residency and full-time opportunities. The database is accessible from any computer 24/7. Registration on GTS is essential for participation in all recruiting activities that the Career Center facilitates.

Full-time students will be trained on GTS and given access through the Career Management Course. Evening and online students are eligible for access for recruiting purposes to GTS once they have successfully completed more than 50% of their program requirements, are in good academic standing and have their resume approved by a Career Center advisor. If they require earlier access do to personal situations, they may request access from the Director of the Career Center. All students can obtain access to utilize the job search tools. All alumni are also eligible for access. Students should contact the Career Center to set up their access.

A listing of all corporate residency and full-time opportunities added to GTS in the previous week appears in the weekly Grad eNewsletter.
Mock Interviews
First year full-time MBA students are required to complete both an in-person and a telephone mock interview prior to participation in the MBA Residency Interview Day. All other students are encouraged to take advantage of this resource. Prior to the Interview Day, outside HR professionals will be scheduled in the Career Center for a series of mock interviews. Students will participate in an interview and then receive immediate feedback on their performance. This is an excellent opportunity to enhance interview performance for both corporate residency and full-time job searches. Availability of the mock interview sessions will be communicated via the Grad eNewsletter and to students' NU email accounts. Off season and other students may schedule mock interviews with Career Center staff as needed.

Networking Opportunities
Any time an employer representative comes to campus, it is an opportunity for networking. Students are highly encouraged to take advantage of as many networking opportunities as possible to enhance their job search strategy and success. Networking opportunities will be posted in the weekly Grad eNewsletter. Opportunities include:

- Executive Luncheon Series – Executives of partner companies come to campus for an informal lunch with MBA students. Dine with senior executives to learn more about their company, their industry and their career path. A schedule will be shared in advance and students may sign up via GTS. Participation is limited to full-time MBA students.
- Insider Insight Sessions – Company representatives come to campus to present an overview of their company, current business issues, career paths and current opportunities.
- Guest Speakers – Company representatives come to campus often as speakers in Career Management Class, other classes or student club activities.
- Alumni Database – This online directory is accessible to students. Alumni can be of assistance for informational interviews and networking.
- Linked In - Students are invited to join the D’Amore-McKim MBA Current + Past group or the D’Amore-McKim MS Current + Past group to facilitate networking. Online students and alumni are invited to join the Northeastern Graduate Online Business Programs: Past and Present group.

Prepared by the Career Center team, this manual is used as the text to support Career Management Class. It is available as a valuable resource to all MBA/MS students and alumni. Please contact the Career Center for the link.

Mentor Program
The Career Center expects students to develop and nurture mentor relationships. To support this goal and to help the student focus on their full-time career goals, the Career Center matches Full-time MBA students with a mentor in their field. The mentor agrees to
meet with the student and work with the student on their full-time job search an hour each month through to graduation. Students must sign a code of conduct agreement to participate in the program. These are valuable relationships to the university and the D’Amore-McKim School of Business as well as to the student.

Recruiting
Throughout the year, companies target Northeastern students and alumni for corporate residency, contract and full-time opportunities. While many employers conduct interviews in their own facilities, some employers will choose to conduct interviews on campus. Job opportunities are in no way limited to those posted through the Career Center.

Resume Review
All full-time MBA students should have a current, approved resume. The Career Center staff is available to meet with students to review their resume and offer constructive feedback. A completed, approved resume is required for participation in mock interviews, Career Expos and other activities. An approved resume is required to gain access to GTS.

Self-Developed Corporate Residency
The Career Center has numerous employer relationships but some students may target companies where the Career Center has no relationship or history. Students should work closely with the Career Center to introduce the corporate residency concept to their target companies. Students may then leverage their contacts to create their own corporate residency experience. Job descriptions for all self-developed corporate residency opportunities must be approved by the Career Center.

Program and Student Services
The staff in 350 Dodge Hall (617.373.5992) provides a variety of services to current graduate business students. Within the Office are the academic advisors for the Full-time MBA, Part-Time MBA, MSIB, MSTE and MSF programs, as well as the Director of the MS in Innovation programs. This staff can assist with academic issues such as curriculum, course selection, registration, program completion, graduation and academic advising. They will also assist students with other issues or refer them to the appropriate University office. Information and assistance is also available regarding non-academic issues such as clubs and organizations.

Program and Student Services Team
The Program and Student Services team are responsible for the Full-time MBA, Part-Time MBA, MSF/MSIB, MSF, MSTE and MSIB programs. The staff consists of:

- Gail Justino-Miller, Assistant Dean & Director, Programs and Student Services
g.justino-miller@northeastern.edu x4264
- Sandra Leyne, Assistant Director, Student Services
s.leyne@northeastern.edu x8885
- Lauren Fallon, Assistant Director, Full-Time MBA Program
Online Programs Student Services Team

Admissions:
1.866.890.0347 Ext. 3510 (US and Canada)
+ 1.617.476.3110 Ext 3510 (International)
E-mail: onlinegradbusiness@northeastern.edu

Monday-Friday: 9:00am to 6:00pm EST

Advising:
1.866.291.8058, Option 2
onlinegradsupport@northeastern.edu

Technical Support:
Phone: 1.866.291.8058, Option 1 (LIVE 24/7)
https://www.supportcenter.embanet.com/nu.

The Graduate Student Lounge

The Graduate Student Lounge is located in 301 Dodge Hall. Comfortable seating, refrigerator and microwave oven are provided for student use.

Student groups often use the lounge for informal meetings or class group projects. Information regarding events is posted in Dodge Hall and in the Grad eNewsletter.

Grad eNewsletter

The Grad eNewsletter is published each Wednesday by the Program and Student Service Team. The newsletter lists updated academic information, announcements of events, case studies and seminars, the latest job postings from the Career Center and other valuable information. All students are encouraged to read the newsletter each week. It is available to all current students via their NU e-mail.

Computer Labs

While students may use any of the computer labs at Northeastern, most business students will use the lab in 54 Dodge. These computers are equipped with widely used business application software.

Bloomberg Terminal

Bloomberg terminals are available in the following locations for student use:

Two on the 2nd floor of the Snell Library, available during normal library hours; Six in 177 Dodge, available Monday-Friday, 6am-12 midnight, Saturday and Sunday, 7am-
7pm; NU ID required for access
One in 413 Hayden; available during normal business hours

Students, using the userid "bloomberg" and the password "bloombergterminal 1" and a cell phone may set up a personal account using HELP.

The Disability Resource Center
The Disability Resource Center is located in 20 Dodge Hall and provides individualized services for students with disability-related special needs. Contact them at 617.373.2675, fax: 617.373.7800. For more information, see their website: northeastern.edu/drc/.

ID Cards
Students are expected to carry an official ID card and to crow it at the request of any University official. Cards can be obtained at 4 Speare Commons and are needed for the library, recreation facilities and other University services. Online students may acquire their cards remotely; contact the Online Programs Student Services Team for more information.

University Emergency Delays/Closings
In the event of inclement weather or extraordinary situations, many local radio and television stations will carry a "delayed opening" or "all classes canceled" announcement. A recorded message is available at 617.373.2000. In case of emergency or crisis situations that require immediate notification, University officials will deploy the NU ALERT system, which sends email, voicemail and text messages to students, faculty and staff. NU ALERT is intended to communicate pertinent information and, when appropriate, provide directions to those in the affected area(s). The NU ALERT system broadcasts messages to the email addresses and telephone numbers students have provided the University. Students can change or update their contact information by logging into the portal at my.northeastern.edu and following the instructions.

The University assumes no liability for delay or failure to provide educational or other services or facilities due to causes beyond its reasonable control. Causes include, without limitation, power failure, fire, strikes by University employees or others, damage by natural elements, and acts of public authorities. The University will, however, exert reasonable efforts when it judges them to be appropriate, provide comparable services, facilities, or performance; but its inability or failure to do so shall not subject the University to liability.

Purpose
The Graduate Business Programs Catalog & Student Guide should be used in conjunction with the Graduate Student Handbook (available at https://registrar.northeastern.edu/article/2019-2020-catalog-and-course-descriptions/, select “Graduate Catalog”) and other procedural guides which contain Northeastern University’s primary statements about academic programs, policies, and procedures; degree requirements; student responsibilities; and general personnel policies, benefits, and services.

Accreditation

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Northeastern University is accredited by the New England Association of Schools and Colleges, Inc. The University’s business programs are accredited by the Association to Advance Collegiate Schools of Business.

**Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act**
In accordance with the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974, Northeastern University permits its students to inspect their records whenever appropriate and to challenge specific parts of them. Details on the law and its application are printed in the University Graduate Student Handbook and are available at registrar.northeastern.edu/article/family-educational-rights-privacy-act-ferpa/.

**Equal Opportunity Policy**
Northeastern University is committed to providing equal opportunity to its students and employees, and to eliminating discrimination when it occurs. Northeastern University does not condone discrimination on the basis of race, color, religion, religious creed, genetics, sex, sexual orientation, age, national origin, ancestry, veteran, or disability status. Moreover, the University will not ignore any form of discrimination or harassment, including sexual harassment of any member of the Northeastern community. Nor will Northeastern condone any form of retaliatory activity against any person who brings a complaint of discrimination or harassment, or who cooperates in a complaint investigation. The University’s nondiscrimination policies and its grievance procedures are available online at http://www.northeastern.edu/aa/policies.html and in the Office of Institutional Diversity and Inclusion located in 106 West Village A. Inquiries regarding the University’s nondiscrimination policies may be directed to

Office of Institutional Diversity and Inclusion  
106 West Village A  
Northeastern University  
Boston, MA 02115  
Phone: (617) 373.2133 Fax: (617) 373-4146  
Email: diversity@northeastern.edu  
Website: provost.northeastern.edu/oidi/

Inquiries concerning the application of nondiscrimination policies may also be referred to the following organizations: The Regional Director, Office for Civil Rights, United States Department of Education, J.W. McCormack Building, Post Office Court House, Room 222, Boston, Massachusetts 02109-4557; Massachusetts Commission Against Discrimination (MCAD), One Ashburton Place, Boston, Massachusetts 02108-1518; Equal Employment Opportunity Commission, One Congress Street, 10th Floor, Room 1001, Boston, Massachusetts 02114.
**STAFF**

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**Graduate Business Programs**

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**Graduate Business Programs Marketing & Communications**

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Graduate School of Professional Accounting

Director: Julie Chasse 412 DG, x4621
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Recruiting Specialist: Cassie Dennison 412 DG, x5708
Program Manager: Stefani Vieira 412 DG, x5007

Career Center

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MS Career Planning Program Manager: Jessica Medeiros 312 DG, x2411
Career Services Program Manager: Tim Chezar 312 DG, x2431
MBA Career Planning Program Manager: Cathy Merlo 312 DG, x2779
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Office Manager: Emma Bouma 312 DG, x3003

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Appendix A

Graduate Program Waiver Guidelines

Course waiver may be granted to a student in the Part-Time MBA, Online MBA, Online MSF or Online MSIB program who has completed prior undergraduate coursework at an AACSB-accredited institution within the past five years with a grade of “B” or better (grades of “B-” do not qualify). The student is excused from taking the required course in the program, and the total credits for graduation will be reduced accordingly.

Waived courses will not appear on the final transcript. Waiver credits plus transfer credits may never exceed one-third of the total credits for the degree. At least two-thirds of the course requirements must be earned in the program.

Students are required to submit official transcripts (if not included in the application package) and syllabi for each transfer/waiver request. Students may be asked to provide additional documentation. New students may contest initial waiver decisions, or request additional waivers only during their first semester (within 60 days of admissions for all online programs). After this time period, waivers will not be granted.

Waiver criteria for core MBA courses are listed below. Waiver requests for other courses will be considered on an individual case basis. Please consult your academic advisor for additional information.

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<td>ACCT 6200 or</td>
<td>Financial Reporting and Managerian Decision Making I (3 credits)</td>
<td>Accounting major and/or CPA designation in last 5 years with GPA of 3.0 or</td>
<td>Requires Faculty approval</td>
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<td>6200 or 6272</td>
<td>or Financial Statement Preparation and Analysis (2.250 credits)</td>
<td>better &amp; “B” or better in at least on upper level financial accounting course</td>
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<td>ACCT 6201 or</td>
<td>Financial Reporting and Managerian Decision Making II (1.5 credits)</td>
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<td>6273</td>
<td>or Identifying Strategic Implications in Accounting Data (2.250 credits)</td>
<td>better &amp; “B” or better in upper level cost/managerial accounting course</td>
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<td>HRMG 6200</td>
<td>Managing People and Organizations (3 credits)</td>
<td>Human Resources/Organization Behavior major or minor</td>
<td>Must take one HRMG elective</td>
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<td>INTB 6200</td>
<td>Managing the Global Enterprise (3 credits)</td>
<td>International Business major</td>
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<td>FINA 6200</td>
<td>Value Creation Through Financial Decision Making (3 credits)</td>
<td>Finance major or minor</td>
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<td>MECN 6200</td>
<td>Global Competition and Market Dominance (3 credits)</td>
<td>Economics major or minor</td>
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<td>MKTG 6200</td>
<td>Creating and Sustaining Customer Markets (3 credits)</td>
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<td>MGSC 6200</td>
<td>Information Analysis (3 credits)</td>
<td>Completion of at least one semester-long course in statistics that covered</td>
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<td>MGSC 6204</td>
<td>Managing Information Resources (1.5 credits)</td>
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<td>MGSC 6206</td>
<td>Management of Service and Manufacturing Operations (3 credits)</td>
<td>Industrial Engineering or Operations Management major or minor</td>
<td>Information Systems or Computer Science major with at least one managerial Information Systems course</td>
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Subject to Change. Updated and comprehensive calendar available at: registrar.northeastern.edu/group/calendar/

Note: MS in Innovation program has a slightly different calendar. Refer to program calendar for details.

Fall 2020
Sep 7 Monday
Labor Day
Sep 9 Wednesday
First day of fall classes
Oct 12 Monday
Columbus Day observed, no classes
Nov 11 Wednesday
Veterans Day observed, no classes
Nov 13 Friday
Spring registration begins
Nov 25 Wednesday
First day of Thanksgiving, Recess, no classes
Nov 30 Monday
Classes resume
Dec 12 Saturday
Last day of fall classes
Dec 14 Monday
First day of final exams for fall classes
Dec 19 Saturday
Last day of final exams for fall classes
Dec 21 Monday
First day of winter break

Spring 2021
Jan 18 Monday
Martin Luther King Jr.’s Birthday observed, no classes
Jan 19 Tuesday
First day of spring classes
Feb 15 Monday
Presidents’ Day, no classes
Feb 19 Friday
Summer registration begins
Apr 9 Friday
Fall registration begins
Apr 19 Monday
Patriots’ Day observed, no classes
Apr 24 Saturday
Last day of spring classes
Apr 26 Monday
First day of final exams for spring classes
May 1 Saturday
Last day of final exams for spring classes

Summer 2021
May 10 Monday
First day of summer 1 and full summer classes
May 31 Monday
Memorial Day observed, no classes
Jun 26 Saturday
Last day of summer 1 classes
Jun 28 Monday
First day of final exams for summer 1 classes
Jul 3 Saturday
Last day of final exams for summer 1 classes
Jul 5 Monday
Independence Day observed, no classes
Jul 6 Saturday
First day of summer 2 classes
Aug 14 Saturday
Last day of full summer classes
Aug 16 Monday
First day of final exams for full summer classes
Aug 21 Saturday
Last day of final exams for full summer classes
Last day of summer 2 classes
Aug 23 Monday
First day of final exams for summer 2 classes
Aug 28 Saturday
Last day of final exams for summer 2 classes
Aug 29 Sunday
First day of vacation
Aug 31 Tuesday
Summer degree conferral
Sep 1 Wednesday
Commencement