

MBA & Master's Guide



HAVING AN MBA OR OTHER ADVANCED DEGREE HAS ALWAYS PROVIDED a number of advantages, both for the degree-carrying professionals as well as the organizations that hire them. As advancements in technology continue to reshape the world, and unexpected challenges to the global economy have arisen, the demand for leaders capable of leveraging these technologies and working on solutions to the challenges is at an all-time high.

Executive MBA programs give students the tools they need to position themselves as invaluable leaders in the market. These programs provide students with the opportunity to explore new professions, seek out new industries and experience outside-the-box thinking that can benefit an organization and a career simultaneously. As a result, the need for up-to-date MBA and other advanced degree programs is continuing to rise. This section spotlights and profiles some of the best programs in the region today.

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UCLA Anderson School of Management

UCLA Anderson School of Management is a world-renowned learning and research institution with a decidedly forward focus. The school takes full advantage of living and working in Los Angeles, the creative capital of the world. Never content with how things are, Anderson School of Management looks to the future to discover and chart what will be. In short, the school strives to “Think in the Next.”

UCLA Anderson’s mission is to prepare

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leaders for the 21st century, arming them with a worldview and a sense of purpose to make a lasting difference in organizations and communities around the world.

Students and alumni, faculty and staff share a common ethos defined by three qualities:

1) Sharing success: Performance and innovation are not about winning at the expense of others;

2) Thinking fearlessly: UCLA Anderson School of Management is unafraid to experiment with new ideas and approaches; and

3) Driving change: The school is dissatisfied unless it can measure its efforts against tangible impact.

Current students come from every continent except Antarctica. The 40,000 alumni globally include leaders at the forefront of organizational innovation in every industry, from investment management to social impact, from consulting to technology start-ups. They include the CEOs of YouTube, BlackRock, AT&T and United Therapeutics. The faculty examine and address many of today’s most pressing issues, including the

economic impact of COVID-19, affordable housing, technological transformation, global finance, healthcare, sustainability and inequality. Each year, UCLA Anderson’s full-time MBA, Fully Employed MBA, Executive MBA, UCLA-NUS Global Executive MBA program, Master of Financial Engineering, Master of Business Analytics and doctoral programs educate 2,200 students, while the Executive Education program trains an additional 1,800 professionals.

This next generation of leaders will help shape the future of business.



NAME OF INSTITUTION
University of California, Los Angeles

NAME OF BUSINESS SCHOOL OR PROGRAM
UCLA Anderson School of Management

BUSINESS SCHOOL DEAN
Antonio Bernardo

YEAR FOUNDED
1919

YEAR BUSINESS SCHOOL STARTED
1935

TOTAL MBA ENROLLMENT (ALL PLATFORMS OFFERED)
2,200 students, excluding our Executive Education (non-degree) program, which educates an additional 1,800 professionals annually

MBA PLATFORMS OFFERED
Full-time MBA
Fully Employed MBA (FEMBA)
Executive MBA (EMBA)
UCLA-NUS Executive MBA

MBA AREAS OF EMPHASIS OFFERED

- Accounting
- Brand Management
- Consulting
- Corporate Finance
- Corporate Governance
- Entertainment
- Entrepreneurship
- Executive Development
- Global Management
- Health Care Management
- Investment Management
- Management and Organizations
- Marketing
- Marketing Analytics
- Real Estate
- Sustainability
- Social Impact
- Technology Leadership

LENGTH OF PROGRAMS
Full-time MBA: 22 months
FEMBA: 33 months; 27 months if accelerated
EMBA: 22 months
UCLA-NUS Executive MBA: 15 months

PROGRAM CAMPUS OPTIONS

- Los Angeles
- Fully Employed and Executive MBA programs offer hybrid in person/online options
- UCLA-NUS Executive MBA Program includes modules that meet in Singapore, China and India

PROGRAM ACCREDITATIONS
AACSB, WASC

RANKINGS
Full-time MBA:

- USNWR #18 (released 2021)
- Bloomberg BusinessWeek #12 (released 2019. No ranking issued in 2020)
- Financial Times #15 (among U.S. schools); #25 (global) (released in 2020, UCLA did not take part in 2021 ranking)
- Economist #5 (among U.S. schools); #6 (global) (released 2019, The Economist did not release a 2020 ranking, UCLA did not take part in 2021 ranking)
- Forbes #16 (released in 2019)

FEMBA:
U.S. News & World Report: #5 (released in 2021)

EMBA:

- USNWR #10 (released in 2021)
- The Economist #17 (among U.S. schools); #32 (global) (released in 2020)
- Financial Times #4 (among U.S. schools); #35 (global) (released in 2020)
- UCLA-NUS Executive MBA:
- The Economist #10 (global) (released in 2020)
- Financial Times #14 (global) (released in 2020)

TOTAL COST OF MBA
2021/2022 student fees are listed below.

- Full-time MBA: \$65,124 (subject to approvals)
- FEMBA: \$41,782 (subject to approvals)
- EMBA: \$85,677 (subject to approvals)
- UCLA-NUS Executive MBA: \$125,000

REQUIRED TESTING

- Full-time MBA: GMAT or GRE; TOEFL/IELTS for international students
- FEMBA: GMAT or GRE; TOEFL/IELTS for international students
- EMBA: EA (Executive Assessment), GMAT or GRE is optional; TOEFL/IELTS for international students
- UCLA-NUS Executive MBA: TOEFL/IELTS for international students

UPCOMING INFORMATION SESSIONS
Please check the following websites for upcoming sessions:

Full-time MBA:
anderson.ucla.edu/degrees/full-time-mba/admissions/events

FEMBA:
anderson.ucla.edu/degrees/fully-employed-mba/admissions/admissions-events

EMBA:
anderson.ucla.edu/degrees/executive-mba/admissions/events

UCLA-NUS Executive MBA:
anderson.ucla.edu/degrees/executive-mba

APPLICATION DEADLINES
Please check the following websites for 2021/2022 deadlines:

UCLAAnderson
SCHOOL of MANAGEMENT

Full-time MBA:
<https://apply.anderson.ucla.edu/apply/>

FEMBA:
<https://apply.anderson.ucla.edu/apply/>

EMBA:
<https://apply.anderson.ucla.edu/apply/>

UCLA-NUS Executive MBA:
<https://ucla.nus.edu.sg/>

PROGRAM CONTACT INFORMATION
UCLA Anderson School of Management
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Los Angeles, CA 90095

Full-time MBA:
(310) 825-6944
mba.admissions@anderson.ucla.edu

FEMBA:
(310) 825-2632
femba.admissions@anderson.ucla.edu

EMBA:
(310) 825-2032
emba.admissions@anderson.ucla.edu

UCLA-NUS Executive MBA:
(310) 825-2032
ucla-nus@anderson.ucla.edu

Think in the next.

At UCLA Anderson, we encourage tomorrow’s leaders to look beyond the horizon and create a better future.



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California State University, Northridge - David Nazarian College of Business and Economics

The part-time evening MBA program at CSUN's David Nazarian College of Business and Economics offers working professionals the opportunity to invest in their future and secure their careers. The Nazarian MBA program is not simply education offered “to” students, but an educational experience “with” students. Professionals are admitted to the program because their work experience offers insight into what faculty members teach. The program's mission is to produce innovative leaders who:

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- Apply knowledge and create strategies to manage dynamic environments.
- Contribute sustainable value to their organization, industry, and community.
- Integrate theory and experiential learning to benefit career networks and trajectories.

FLEXIBLE RELEVANCE

Classes are held Monday through Thursday from 7:00-10:00 p.m., and occasional Saturdays. Students typically take two courses per semester and typically complete MBA coursework in about 2 years. Students without an undergraduate degree in business or a GCBA must complete 15 units of foundation-level classes. Completion times range from two years to five years, as students reduce or accelerate their academic load commensurate with career and family demands. Elective offerings focus on providing relevant topics that help differentiate a student in their workplace and add career value.

GCBA

In the Graduate Certificate of Business Administration program, students who do not have an undergraduate in business, master essential business skills in a one-year, part-time evening, and Saturday cohort program. The GMAT is not required for admission to the GCBA program. Some GCBA students choose to enter the Nazarian MBA program, while others meet their business-skills and knowledge goals with the certificate program alone. The GCBA may be particularly attractive for individuals who have been away from academia for awhile and want to acquire foundation skills in business.

CSUN

The Wall Street Journal/Times Higher Education College Ranking 2021 reports CSUN



as the university with the second-most diverse learning environment in the nation. Located on a beautiful 365-acre campus, CSUN is the fourth-largest university in California. It's 340,000 alumni include prominent business leaders, such as the famed businessman and entrepreneur for whom the business college was named after, David Nazarian. CSUN is where students rise and take their knowledge to new heights.

Learn more at csun.edu/mba.



NAME OF INSTITUTION	California State University, Northridge	<div><div>CSUNDAVID</div><div>NAZARIAN</div><div>COLLEGE OF BUSINESS & ECONOMICS</div></div>
NAME OF BUSINESS SCHOOL OR PROGRAM	David Nazarian College of Business and Economics	
BUSINESS SCHOOL DEAN	Chandra Subramaniam	
YEAR INSTITUTION WAS FOUNDED	1958	
YEAR BUSINESS SCHOOL OR PROGRAM WAS STARTED	1958	
TOTAL MBA ENROLLMENT (ALL PLATFORMS OFFERED)	182	RANKINGS
MBA PLATFORMS OFFERED	On-Campus (currently virtual due to COVID-19)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• 2021 – Best Business School Best On-Campus MBA– Princeton Review• 2020 – Best Colleges for Business Majors – Money Magazine
MBA AREAS OF EMPHASIS OFFERED	Contemporary curriculum with relevant and topical electives	TOTAL COST OF MBA
LENGTH OF PROGRAMS	24-30 months (2 to 2.5 years)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• In-state tuition: \$25,000-\$36,000• Out of state: \$42,000-\$60,000
PROGRAM CAMPUS OPTIONS	Part-time Evening	REQUIRED TESTING
PROGRAM ACCREDITATIONS	AACSB, WASC	GMAT/GRE (waiver applications available)
		UPCOMING INFORMATION SESSIONS
		<ul style="list-style-type: none">• July 8, 2021• August 5, 2021
		APPLICATION DEADLINES
		<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Spring 2022: 10/1/21• Fall 2022: 5/1/22
		PROGRAM CONTACT INFORMATION
		csun.edu/mba (818) 677-2467

your career



CSUN's David Nazarian College of Business and Economics offers a part-time evening MBA program designed for working professionals to manage innovation in the digital world.

Faculty expertise and student experience coalesce to produce innovative leaders who:

- Apply knowledge and create strategies to manage dynamic environments
- Contribute sustainable value to their organization, industry, and community
- Integrate theory and experiential learning to benefit career networks and trajectories

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Pepperdine University Graziadio Business School

Pepperdine Graziadio's mission is to develop students into Best for the World Leaders through experiential-based learning that is not only ethical in focus, but also global in orientation.

By making a positive impact on students, they will be equipped to go out into the world and do the same – turning small ripples into significant waves. The Pepperdine Graziadio Business School proudly offers a diverse range of full-time, part-time, executive, and C-level graduate degree programs. From its nationally recognized MBA and specialized master's programs to their executive doctorate and a bachelor's degree completion degree, the school provides options tailored to any career stage, schedule, academic interest, and professional aspiration. Each of Pepperdine Graziadio's programs offer an unparalleled experience through experiential learning with an emphasis on real-world application, small class sizes that allow for personalized mentorship from industry renowned faculty, and access to a growing global alumni network of over 43,000.

In addition to top-ranked business degrees, students have a wide-range of networking and learning opportunities available. Graziadio's events cover a comprehensive range of industry relevant topics, bringing in leading executives and entrepreneurs to share their insights. The Dean's Executive Leadership event series is just one of the prominent events that features senior executive and thought-leader speakers from top organizations who share real world success stories that reflect the ethical business models taught at the school. Alumni events include career development, networking, and lifelong learning opportunities.

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Unique to Graziadio is the Center for Women in Leadership (CWL) which provides mentoring, networking, and skills development programs dedicated to empowering students to reach their full potential and contribute to the overall conversation around women in leadership. Additionally, for those interested in corporate citizenship and sustainability, the Pepperdine Graziadio certificate in Socially, Environmentally, and Ethically Responsible (SEER) business strategy allows students to complement their MBA with courses and activities that will empower them to be more mindful leaders and entrepreneurs.

Founded in 1969, the Graziadio Business School at Pepperdine University is dedicated

to shaping leaders who will contribute to the betterment of business practice. This intention is embodied in the school's mission, its founder's and benefactor's points of view, and a daily commitment to hallmarks of entrepreneurship, integrity, and academic excellence.

The Pepperdine Graziadio Business School was endowed by, and takes its name from, George L. Graziadio Jr., in 1996. Graziadio's core values are anchored in integrity, courage with compassion, a pioneering spirit, and action taken "today not tomorrow." This ethos continues to be reflected in the program offerings to this day.

With an entrepreneurial spirit, and anchored in integrity and innovation, the

school advances applied learning in small classes that deepen connections and stimulate critical thinking. Pepperdine Graziadio's faculty inspires students to think boldly and drive meaningful change, and to realize their greatest potential as values-centered, Best for the World Leaders – professionals who apply educational, spiritual, and ethical approaches to positively impact the lives of their colleagues, customers and communities.

Programs are offered in-person at campuses in Malibu, West Los Angeles, Irvine, Encino, Calabasas, and online.

Learn more about becoming a Best for the World Leader by visiting bschool.pepperdine.edu/mba.



NAME OF INSTITUTION Pepperdine University	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Entrepreneurship• Finance• Leadership and Managing Organizational Change• Marketing	#4 Private School in California #15 Part Time MBA West Coast Ranking	PEPPERDINE GRAZADIO BUSINESS SCHOOL
NAME OF BUSINESS SCHOOL OR PROGRAM Pepperdine Graziadio Business School		Executive MBA: CEO Magazine: No. 33 Best MBA in the World, Tier One Executive MBA among North American Programs	APPLICATION DEADLINES Part-Time MBA Fall '21 Final Deadline: July 12, 2021 Full-Time MBA Fall '22 Final Deadline: April 26, 2021 Executive MBA and PKE MBA Fall '21 Final Deadline: July 5, 2021
BUSINESS SCHOOL DEAN Dean Deryck van Rensburg	LENGTH OF PROGRAMS Duration depends on the specific program a student selects. Some programs take as little 12 months to complete, while others are more flexible, allowing students up to seven years to finish their degree.	Online MBA: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• U.S. News & World Report: No. 26 Best Online MBA Program and No.17 Best Online MBA Programs for Veterans• Fortune: No.13 Online MBA in the Nation	
YEAR INSTITUTION WAS FOUNDED 1937	PROGRAM CAMPUS OPTIONS Malibu, West Los Angeles, Irvine, Calabasas, Encino, and Online	TOTAL COST OF MBA Cost varies by program and scholarships and financial aid are available.	PROGRAM CONTACT INFORMATION Part-Time MBA Contact Info: Karen Jackson, Executive Director of Recruitment (310) 568-5731 karen.jackson@pepperdine.edu Full-Time MBA Contact Info: Kandace Phyll, Full-Time Programs, Director (310) 568-5637 kandace.phyll@pepperdine.edu Executive MBA and Presidents and Key Executives (PKE) Contact Info: Pearl Quintana Associate Director Presidents & Key Executives and Executive MBA (323) 901-3109 pearl.quintana@pepperdine.edu
YEAR BUSINESS SCHOOL OR PROGRAM WAS STARTED 1969	PROGRAM ACCREDITATIONS Association to Advance Collegiate Schools of Business (AACSB) and Western Association of Schools and Colleges (WSCUC)	REQUIRED TESTING Required testing varies by program. Please contact a recruitment advisor to learn more.	
TOTAL MBA ENROLLMENT (ALL PLATFORMS OFFERED) Full-time programs MBA: 131 Part-time and executive programs MBA: 1023 *As of Fall 2020	RANKINGS Full-Time MBA: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• U.S. News & World Report: No. 68 Best Full-Time MBA Nationwide• Forbes: No. 61 Best Business School• Princeton Review: #9 Most Competitive Students in US Part-Time MBA: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• U.S. News & World Report: #73 Best Part-Time MBA Nationwide• #12 Faith Based School in the nation• #3 Faith Based School in California	UPCOMING INFORMATION SESSIONS Full-Time Programs Information Session - Friday, 6/4/2021 PTMBA/BS in Management Virtual Classroom Experience - Saturday, 06/12/2021 Executive Programs Fireside Chat - Wednesday, 06/16/2021 EMBA & PKE Alumni Panel Event - Wednesday, 06/16/2021	
MBA PLATFORMS OFFERED Part-Time MBA (evening and weekend), Full-Time MBA, Executive MBA (for tenured professionals), Presidents and Key Executives MBA (for C-suite, senior, and executive levels), Joint Bachelor's and MBA Pathway (MBAJ), Joint MBA Options (JD/MBA, MBA/MPP)	MBA AREAS OF EMPHASIS OFFERED <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Business Analytics• Digital Innovation and Information Systems Dispute Resolution Entertainment, Media, and Sports Management		

The background of the advertisement is a photograph of a paved walkway lined with tall palm trees. In the distance, a dry, hilly landscape is visible under a clear blue sky with some light clouds. Three people, two men and one woman, are walking away from the camera down the path. The Pepperdine Graziadio Business School logo is in the top left corner, and the tagline 'BEST FOR THE WORLD LEADERS' is in the bottom left corner.

PEPPERDINE **GRAZADIO**
BUSINESS SCHOOL

BEST FOR THE WORLD LEADERS

AN MBA THAT FITS YOU

Pepperdine Graziadio offers full-time, part-time, and executive MBA degree options to meet your unique personal and professional needs. You'll receive an unparalleled experience through experiential learning, small classes, and hands-on mentorship from industry-leading faculty.

[BSCHOOL.PEPPERDINE.EDU/MBA](https://bschool.pepperdine.edu/mba)

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Cal Poly Pomona - College of Business

California Polytechnic University, Pomona, (CPP) with its 1400 acre of campus, and beautiful rolling hills and gardens is among one of the best public universities in Southern California. As a polytechnic university known for its learn-by-doing philosophy, CPP prepares the students to meet the relevant workforce demands and become the future leaders in various industries. The university is in close proximity to Los Angeles and fortune 500 industries such as Boeing, Northrop Grumman, Raytheon, Amazon, and Sysco etc.

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Cal Poly Pomona students receive outstanding education with an affordable tuition. Cal Poly Pomona is a WSCUC accredited university, and its graduate business degree programs are AACSB accredited which puts the College of Business in the top five percent of the world's 13,000 business schools.

Business Analytics is one of the fastest growing careers. The Master of Science in Business Analytics (MSBA) program is designed to satisfy the contemporary needs in all business fields for data science technology and applications. The MSBA with its STEM designation, is designed with industry context, data and technology that shapes the current and future needs of the business industries. With the expansion of data science and technology students in the MSBA program learn from faculty experts and project-based activities that will shape their business analytics skills and knowledge.

Cal Poly Pomona is well-known for its polytechnic approach and CPP graduates join the professional work force with strong problem-solving skills and the MSBA program is no exception. Contemporary big data analytics projects are built in as one of the key components of this program. MSBA students are exposed to challenging real world decision making driven by big data in a wide range of business areas (just to name a few, IoT cybersecurity, drug discovery, market basket analysis, COVID impacts, high frequency trading etc.)

With the competitive tuition cost and the high-quality program provided, Cal Poly Pomona is constantly listed high by various global rankings. For example, in 2020 by US News, CPP is ranked 3rd as one of the most innovative universities in the western region; CPP is also ranked 2nd in non-Ph.D. granting public universities in US west region; by Money magazine, in 2020, CPP is ranked 10th place among most transformative colleges.

The Business Analytics graduate degree program emphasizes both the technical and the application perspectives of data analytics. Graduates from this program are anticipated to be able to:

- develop business initiatives with strong

Cal Poly Pomona students receive outstanding education with an affordable tuition. Cal Poly Pomona



story-telling ability

- lead organizational changes with data driven decision making;
- proficiently use programming and database tools for descriptive, discovery, predictive, and prescriptive analytics

Graduates from this program will demonstrate in-depth knowledge in database, statistics, optimization, and decision theories, and be equipped with skills in Python/R, data warehousing, data mining, text mining and web analytics, big data analytics, and predictive/prescriptive modeling focusing on business applications. The program will focus on the implication of business analytics on various business functional areas such as marketing, supply chain management, finance, information systems, and prepare students with competencies to lead data-driven changes.

The MSBA offers one-year and two-year programs for full-time and part-time students. The MSBA's admission encompasses a diverse pool of students which enhances the learning experience for the students and creates a community of life-long collaboration.

The deadline to apply to the program is July 1, 2021 and the GMAT/GRE requirement has been waived for the Fall 2021 applicants.

Learn more at ceu.cpp.edu/labj/msba.

NAME OF INSTITUTION

Cal Poly Pomona

NAME OF BUSINESS SCHOOL OR PROGRAM

College of Business, Master of Science in Business Analytics

BUSINESS SCHOOL DEAN

Erik Rolland, Ph.D.
(erolland@cpp.edu)

YEAR INSTITUTION WAS FOUNDED

1938

YEAR BUSINESS SCHOOL OR PROGRAM WAS STARTED

1968

TOTAL MBA ENROLLMENT (ALL PLATFORMS OFFERED)

55

LENGTH OF PROGRAMS

12 month and 24 month tracks available

PROGRAM CAMPUS OPTIONS

Face-to-Face and online

PROGRAM ACCREDITATIONS

AACSB, WASC

RANKINGS

Cal Poly Pomona is No. 15 nationally and the top California State University in Money Magazine's list of the "Best Colleges in America, Ranked by Value 2020," based on quality, affordability



and alumni outcomes. The university also ranked No. 7 among "Best Public Colleges," No. 2 among "Best Colleges Where More Than Half of Applicants Get In," No 10 among "Most Transformative Colleges," and No. 22 among "Best Colleges for Business Majors."

TOTAL COST OF MBA

\$31,285

REQUIRED TESTING

The GRE/GMAT Requirements for Fall 2021 Applicants have been waived.

UPCOMING INFORMATION SESSIONS

Tuesday, May 18, 2021 at 6PM
Please visit ceu.cpp.edu/labj/msba to RSVP

APPLICATION DEADLINES

July 1, 2021

PROGRAM CONTACT INFORMATION

ceu.cpp.edu/labj/msba
(909) 869-2363



EARN YOUR MASTER'S DEGREE FROM CAL POLY POMONA BEYOND TRADITIONAL

Accelerated Accountancy

(In partnership with the College of Business - 1 Year Program)

Business Analytics

(In partnership with the College of Business)

Dietetics

(In partnership with the Don B. Huntley College of Agriculture - Launching Fall 2021)

Geology

(In partnership with College of Science)

Hospitality Management

(In partnership with The Collins College of Hospitality Management)

Interior Architecture

(In partnership with the College of Environmental Design & UCLA Extension)

International Apparel Management

(In partnership with the Don B. Huntley College of Agriculture)

Systems Engineering

(In partnership with the College of Engineering)

The College of the Extended University at Cal Poly Pomona offers Master's Degree programs in various fields and disciplines that offer flexibility and convenience.

The College has also launched new **Pre-Master's Programs** to help you meet your graduate pre-requisite needs. For more information about all of these great programs, please visit www.ceu.cpp.edu/beyond for more information.

The Deadline to apply for Fall 2021 is July 1, 2021



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Extended University

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for more information

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Loyola Marymount University

College of Business Administration

Loyola Marymount University does things differently. LMU’s graduate business programs transform students into agile professionals and executives who positively impact organizations and society. Small, intimate classes are led by faculty experts who are invested in their students’ success. Experienced career coaches work with students to achieve their career goals. Real-world examples illustrate key concepts and hands-on projects provide opportunities for students to apply new knowledge and skills.

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The LMU MBA program develops innovative and impactful leaders for a changing global business landscape. The part-time program features small classes, personalized attention, global study and customized career services. Ranked 13th in Entrepreneurship, 20th in Marketing and 25th in Management by U.S. News & World Report, the MBA program is designed for individuals with a bachelor’s degree and at least two years of professional experience. Classes are held in the evenings to accommodate working professionals. Complete the LMU MBA degree in as little as 21 months or up to 36 months.

The MBA program kicks off with a two-day orientation featuring team building exercises, academic modules and career services workshops. During the first year, MBA students complete the core courses; the second year they focus on an area of emphasis (Entrepreneurship, Finance or Marketing), elective courses and an international trip.

Expert career coaches help students strengthen their career paths, transition into new industries or functions, and assess where skills can be improved to achieve career goals. Additional benefits include professional development workshops, employer recruiting events, career expos and alumni mentors. The College of Business Administration Graduate Student Association and MBA Alumni Association also provide a variety of valuable networking opportunities.

EXECUTIVE MBA PROGRAM

The LMU Executive MBA (EMBA) program empowers students to redefine their narrative by building capacity for leadership and strategy in a values-driven environment. Designed for accomplished professionals, the 22-month program equips students with the mindset and skillset to develop and lead high-performance teams. The LMU Executive MBA is one of Southern California’s premier, most respected programs and ranked 27th by U.S. News & World Report in 2021.

The LMU EMBA empowers students to build their capacity for leadership and strategy in a values-driven environment. Many graduates of the EMBA program advance to C-level positions within their companies. Classes are held on Saturdays via a hybrid format – a combination of online and in-person classes – at our beautiful campus in the heart of Los Angeles’ Silicon Beach. The program’s small classes, collaborative learning environment, personalized attention, active alumni network, focus on ethics and leadership, onboarding program, and international study component set LMU apart from other programs.

The EMBA’s unique onboarding program prepares students for a return to academia so



they are ready to start classes with confidence. Experiential learning opportunities include a four-day orientation, Leadership Through Sailing experience, a trip to Sacramento to meet with state legislators and lobbyists, and a two-week journey overseas to major business centers to meet with business executives and understand

firsthand how global business operates. A distinguishing feature of the LMU EMBA is the individual guidance students receive from an executive coach and an alumni mentor. Combined with faculty, these coaches and mentors become part of a student’s “personal board of directors,” inspiring them to make bold

decisions and gain a deeper understanding of their own personal talents, values and passions.

Connect with the LMU College of Business Administration admission team at cba.lmu.edu/gobeyond to learn more about LMU’s graduate programs.

<p>NAME OF INSTITUTION Loyola Marymount University</p> <p>NAME OF BUSINESS SCHOOL OR PROGRAM College of Business Administration</p> <p>BUSINESS SCHOOL DEAN Dayle M. Smith, Ph.D.</p> <p>YEAR INSTITUTION WAS FOUNDED 1911</p> <p>YEAR BUSINESS SCHOOL OR PROGRAM WAS STARTED College of Business Administration: 1926 MBA: 1974 Executive MBA: 2000</p> <p>TOTAL MBA ENROLLMENT (ALL PLATFORMS OFFERED) 110</p> <p>MBA PLATFORMS OFFERED MBA Executive MBA JD/MBA M.S./MBA</p> <p>MBA AREAS OF EMPHASIS OFFERED • Entrepreneurship • Finance • Marketing</p> <p>LENGTH OF PROGRAMS MBA: 21 - 36 months Executive MBA: 22 months</p> <p>PROGRAM CAMPUS OPTIONS All programs take place on LMU’s main campus in Westchester near Playa Vista</p>	<p>PROGRAM ACCREDITATIONS AACSB, WASC</p> <p>RANKINGS U.S. News & World Report graduate rankings • Entrepreneurship: #13 • Marketing: #20 • Management: #25 • Business Analytics: #33 • Part-Time MBA: #66</p> <p>CEO Magazine Global MBA Rankings • MBA: Tier One • Executive MBA: Tier One</p> <p>The Princeton Review/Entrepreneur Magazine • Entrepreneurship: #31</p> <p>TOTAL COST OF MBA MBA: \$85,714 Executive MBA: \$103,000</p> <p>REQUIRED TESTING MBA: GMAT or GRE required. GMAT/GRE waivers available to qualified applicants.</p> <p>Executive MBA: GMAT not required for applicants who are able to demonstrate – either through past academic performance or work experience – sufficient strength in the areas of quantitative and analytical reasoning</p> <p>VIRTUAL APPOINTMENTS Visit cba.lmu.edu/gradconnect to schedule a virtual appointment with a member of our admission team.</p>	<div><div>Loyola Marymount University College of Business Administration</div></div> <p>Executive MBA: • Wednesday, May 12 • Wednesday, May 19 • Saturday, May 22 • Saturday, June 12 • Wednesday, June 16 • Saturday, June 26</p> <p>Visit emba.lmu.edu/infosessions to register.</p> <p>APPLICATION DEADLINES MBA: July 6, 2021 Executive MBA: July 6, 2021</p> <p>PROGRAM CONTACT INFORMATION Dustin Cornwell, Senior Director of Graduate Business Programs dustin.cornwell@lmu.edu (310) 258-8707</p> <p>Visit cba.lmu.edu/gobeyond to learn more about our programs.</p>
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The Drucker MBA offers the rigorous curriculum of a Full-Time MBA with a focus on people and performance. The program features the innovative Drucker Signature Platform, an exploration of leadership in practice through a study of Drucker's philosophy, leadership, resilience, and mindfulness. In addition to selecting one of eight areas of concentration, students may earn up to three certificates as part of the MBA.

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NAME OF INSTITUTION Claremont Graduate University	DRUCKER SCHOOL OF MANAGEMENT  Claremont Graduate University
NAME OF BUSINESS SCHOOL OR PROGRAM Peter F. Drucker and Masatoshi Ito Graduate School of Management	
BUSINESS SCHOOL DEAN David Sprott, Dean	PROGRAM CAMPUS OPTIONS Full-Time & Flex MBA - Claremont (main campus) with hybrid options
YEAR INSTITUTION WAS FOUNDED 1925	PROGRAM ACCREDITATIONS AACSB, WASC
YEAR BUSINESS SCHOOL OR PROGRAM WAS STARTED 1971	TOTAL COST OF MBA MBA (Full-Time or Flex): \$1,980/unit (average \$23,760 at 12 units/semester); Fellowships available for qualified students
TOTAL MBA ENROLLMENT (ALL PLATFORMS OFFERED) 120	REQUIRED TESTING MBA: GMAT/GRE requirement waived for students applying to start in Fall 2021 Flex MBA: GMAT/GRE not required
MBA PLATFORMS OFFERED Full-Time and Flex (evenings, weekends, hybrid)	APPLICATION DEADLINES <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Summer 2021 (Flex only): Final deadline, June 1• Fall 2021 (Full-Time & Flex): Round 4, June 1;• Final deadline, Aug. 1
MBA AREAS OF EMPHASIS OFFERED <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Entrepreneurship• Finance• HR Management• IT Management• Leadership• Marketing• Strategy• Supply Chain	PROGRAM CONTACT INFORMATION Matthew Gold, Associate Director of Admissions druckermba.com (909) 607-7811
LENGTH OF PROGRAMS <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Full-Time - 21 months• Flex - typically 24 months, students may progress more quickly or slowly	



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NAME OF INSTITUTION
University of California, Riverside

NAME OF BUSINESS SCHOOL OR PROGRAM
UCR School of Business | A. Gary Anderson Graduate School of Management

BUSINESS SCHOOL DEAN
Dean Yunzeng Wang, Ph.D.

YEAR INSTITUTION WAS FOUNDED
1954

YEAR BUSINESS SCHOOL OR PROGRAM WAS STARTED
1970

TOTAL MBA ENROLLMENT (ALL PLATFORMS OFFERED)
311

MBA PLATFORMS OFFERED
Full-time MBA
Professional MBA (part-time)

MBA AREAS OF EMPHASIS OFFERED
• Accounting
• Finance
• Information Systems
• Management
• Marketing
• Operations and Supply Chain Management

LENGTH OF PROGRAMS
Full-time MBA is 21 months
Professional MBA is up to 5 years



PROGRAM CAMPUS OPTIONS
On-campus in Riverside, Calif.

PROGRAM ACCREDITATIONS
AACSB, WASC

RANKINGS
No. 95, 2021, U.S. News & World Report, Full-time MBA

TOTAL COST OF MBA
• MBA: \$44, 082 per year
• PMBA: \$1,434 per unit.
Approx \$28,680 per year attending part-time

REQUIRED TESTING
GMAT/GRE Optional

UPCOMING INFORMATION SESSIONS
Weekly UCR LIVE Information Sessions
tinyurl.com/2e94pu8v

APPLICATION DEADLINES
Final Round International: June 1
Final Round Domestic: August 1
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PROGRAM CONTACT INFORMATION
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University of La Verne

College of Business and Public Management

The University of La Verne has streamlined the Master of Business for Experienced Professionals (MBAX) program with competitive degree enhancements that address our nation's evolving business demands. Since fall of 2020, students have transitioned into this program readied with the necessary tools to bolster their careers, all while satisfying the needs for flexibility, affordability, and cutting-edge results.

This redesigned program was based upon feedback and consultations with current business leaders and alumni in the field to adjust

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to what working professionals really need to become future industry leaders.

Abe Helou, dean of the College of Business and Public Management, feels the program is already providing more options for students.

"With this program, the student is in charge," Helou said. "The MBAX degree maintains strong academic rigor with an even better opportunity for students to customize to their academic needs. It is also our goal to ensure that they are supported every step of the way."

Now, students may tap into select subjects of choice and explore their preferred curriculum through independent learning modules, endless concentration combinations, and more. Fewer

prerequisite courses are required and electives have been increased to provide more learning options for students in specialized business fields.

Students also have the freedom to take classes in ways that best fit their schedules, including options to learn online, through hybrid models, and with in-person instruction at campuses across Southern California. Core coursework will still cover the three main business branches: finance, marketing, and operations.

The program is tailored to those with at least three years of professional experience who want to take the next step toward leadership positions.

Graduates of the MBAX program work in executive-level positions across multiple fields,

both in Southern California and beyond.

A Strada-Gallup Education Consumer Survey published in the Journal of Consumer Affairs ranked the University of La Verne as No. 1 for alumni satisfaction in California and No. 11 nationally, just below Harvard and ahead of Stanford, UC Berkeley and USC.

U.S. News & World Report recognized the quality of University of La Verne online programs in four categories of its 2021 rankings. Among California colleges and universities offering an online MBA program, the University of La Verne ranked sixth.

Learn more at laverne.edu/mba/mbax.

NAME OF INSTITUTION University of La Verne	MBA PLATFORMS OFFERED Full-Time, Part-Time, Evenings and Weekends, Online, On-Campus, and Off-Campus	the Canyons, Irvine, Ontario, Online, Naval Base Ventura County, Vandenberg Air Force Base	<div>University of La Verne</div> <div>UPCOMING INFORMATION SESSIONS Visit univ.lv/mbax to learn more about the program and attend a virtual information session.</div> <div>APPLICATION DEADLINES Rolling application deadlines with Fall, Winter, Spring, and Summer start terms.</div> <div>PROGRAM CONTACT INFORMATION Call (909) 448-4444 or email gradadmission@laverne.edu to contact an admissions representative.</div>
NAME OF BUSINESS SCHOOL OR PROGRAM College of Business and Public Management	MBA AREAS OF EMPHASIS OFFERED <ul style="list-style-type: none">AccountingFinanceInformation TechnologyInternational BusinessManagement and LeadershipMarketingSupply Chain ManagementHealth Services Management	PROGRAM ACCREDITATIONS WASC	
BUSINESS SCHOOL DEAN Abe Helou, Ph.D. Dean and Professor of Finance		RANKINGS #6 in California for Online MBA - U.S. News & World Report #1 in California for Alumni Satisfaction - Journal of Consumer Affairs	
YEAR INSTITUTION WAS FOUNDED 1891	LENGTH OF PROGRAMS 18 – 36 months	TOTAL COST OF MBA \$910 per unit for 2020-21 academic year	
YEAR BUSINESS SCHOOL OR PROGRAM WAS STARTED 1992	PROGRAM CAMPUS OPTIONS La Verne, Bakersfield, Burbank, College of	REQUIRED TESTING GMAT and GRE are recommended but not required	
TOTAL MBA ENROLLMENT (ALL PLATFORMS OFFERED) 516			

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dents and business leaders. Marshall has an outsized role to play in the evolution of business toward a more sustainable, equitable, and engaged future. I continue to believe that business can change the world for the better and that the USC Marshall School of Business is helping power that change.”
— Dean Geoffrey Garrett
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NAME OF INSTITUTION University of Southern California	International Business Education and Research MBA (IBEAR): 44	PROGRAM CAMPUS OPTIONS University Park Campus, Los Angeles	<div>USC Marshall</div> <div>School of Business</div>
NAME OF BUSINESS SCHOOL OR PROGRAM USC Marshall School of Business	MBA PLATFORMS OFFERED Full-Time MBA (FTMBA) Part-Time MBA (MBA.PM) Online MBA (OMBA) Executive MBA (EMBA) International Business Education and Research MBA (IBEAR)	PROGRAM ACCREDITATIONS AACSB, WASC	
BUSINESS SCHOOL DEAN Geoffrey Garrett		RANKINGS U.S. News & World Report: FTMBA: #16, MBA.PM: #9, OMBA: #4, EMBA: #22	
YEAR INSTITUTION WAS FOUNDED 1880	MBA AREAS OF EMPHASIS OFFERED 23 areas of emphasis from Accounting to Venture Capital	TOTAL COST OF MBA FTMBA: \$129,150* MBA.PM: \$129,150* OMBA: \$112,346 EMBA: \$156,000 IBEAR: \$124,715	
YEAR BUSINESS SCHOOL OR PROGRAM WAS STARTED 1920	LENGTH OF PROGRAMS FTMBA: 2 years (22 months) MBA.PM: 3 years (33 months) OMBA: 2 years (21 months) EMBA: 2 years (22 months) IBEAR MBA: 1 year (12 months)	REQUIRED TESTING FTMBA: GMAT or GRE	
TOTAL MBA ENROLLMENT (ALL PLATFORMS OFFERED) Full-Time MBA (FTMBA): 427 Part-Time MBA (MBA.PM): 638 Online MBA (OMBA): 313 Executive MBA (EMBA): 144			UPCOMING INFORMATION SESSIONS Please visit https://www.marshall.usc.edu/news-events/usc-marshall-events for upcoming information sessions by program. PROGRAM CONTACT INFORMATION USC Marshall MBA Admissions 630 Childs Way – JKP 308 Los Angeles, CA 90089-2633 Phone: (213) 740-7846 Fax: (213) 749-8520 Email: marshallmba@marshall.usc.edu Website: https://www.marshall.usc.edu/programs/mba-programs



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Saybrook University - Sustainable Social Impact

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porates team projects, adaptable learning activities, culminates in multidimensional leader-management development capstone. Internships, service learning, and international studies are available.

DBA IN SUSTAINABLE SOCIAL IMPACT
3.5 - 4 Years
Online plus Short Residence
The Sustainable Social Impact DBA offers advanced studies leading to a doctorate in business administration.

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NAME OF INSTITUTION Saybrook University	PhD in Managing Organizational Systems	LENGTH OF PROGRAMS MBA is 12 to 18 Months DBA is in 3.5 to 4 Years	
NAME OF BUSINESS SCHOOL OR PROGRAM Sustainable Social Impact MBA - DBA	MBA PLATFORMS OFFERED Hybrid, Online, Cohort	PROGRAM CAMPUS OPTIONS MBA is 100% On-line DBA requires a 5 days of short residence in the Fall and Spring	
BUSINESS SCHOOL DEAN Charlotte Hamilton, PhD Dean of College of Social Sciences	MBA AREAS OF EMPHASIS OFFERED MBA General Options for specializations in: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Nonprofit Leadership• Sustainability• Management Consulting• Diversity, Equity, and Belonging	PROGRAM ACCREDITATIONS WASCUC	
YEAR INSTITUTION WAS FOUNDED 1969	DBA Transformational Leadership & Sustainable Management Concentration	TOTAL COST OF MBA MBA: \$22,900 - \$34,350 per year DBA: \$23,271 per year	
YEAR BUSINESS SCHOOL OR PROGRAM WAS STARTED 2005		REQUIRED TESTING None	
TOTAL MBA ENROLLMENT (ALL PLATFORMS OFFERED) MA in Leadership & Management			UPCOMING INFORMATION SESSIONS Available monthly on-line
			APPLICATION DEADLINES Year round: Fall, Spring, and Summer
			PROGRAM CONTACT INFORMATION Tom Hayashi, MS Ed, PhD Chair & Program Director thayashi1@saybrook.edu (562) 221-1030 (M)



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Broadcast news anchor and current MSL student Nick Ciletti said, "I love that USC offers

the MSL program entirely online, and it's really convenient for my sometimes-unpredictable schedule — you never know when breaking news will happen. I also really appreciate the one-on-one attention my advisers and professors are able to provide us and that's something that sets USC and Gould apart."

CUSTOMIZED TO YOUR INTERESTS

MSL students can tailor their educational experience with an industry-specific certificate, which can be completed at no additional cost, as part of the MSL program. Certificate programs include: Business Law; Compliance; Human Resources Law and Compliance; Enter-

tainment Law and Industry; Financial Compliance; Privacy Law and Cybersecurity; and Health Care Compliance.

CORPORATE PARTNERSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

USC Gould partners with numerous organizations that offer scholarship savings as an employee benefit. For more information about the MSL, including corporate partnerships, visit bit.ly/usc-corporate-ed or email corporatecustomized@law.usc.edu.

For more information about USC's online MSL program, visit bit.ly/usclaw2021.

NAME OF INSTITUTION University of Southern California	Business Law; Compliance; Entertainment Law and Industry; Financial Compliance; Health Care Compliance; Human Resources Law and Compliance; Privacy Law and Cybersecurity	TOTAL COST OF MASTERS Online MSL tuition: approximately \$56,847, plus university fees	<div>USC Gould</div> <div>School of Law</div>
NAME OF SCHOOL OR PROGRAM Gould School of Law:		REQUIRED TESTING No LSAT or GRE required TOEFL or IELTS for international applicants	
SCHOOL DEAN Dean Andrew T. Guzman	LENGTH OF PROGRAMS Online, part-time MSL – 16 months	UPCOMING INFORMATION SESSIONS Schedule a one-on-one meeting with a USC Gould advisor: msl@law.usc.edu	
YEAR INSTITUTION WAS FOUNDED 1900	PROGRAM ACCREDITATIONS WASC, ABA (American Bar Association) CCB (Compliance Certification Board)	APPLICATION DEADLINES Online MSL: Fall 2021 (Priority) - June 23 Fall 2021 - July 28 Spring 2022 (Priority) - October 13 Spring 2022 - November 10	
MASTERS PLATFORMS OFFERED Online, part-time Master of Studies in Law (MSL)	RANKINGS U.S. News & World Report: Best Law Schools - #19 Best Business/Corporate Law Programs - #19 Best Tax Law Programs - #23	PROGRAM CONTACT INFORMATION Online MSL msl@law.usc.edu 213-821-5916 gould.usc.edu/academics/degrees/msl gould.usc.edu/academics/degrees/residential-msl Corporate Partnerships: corporatecustomized@law.usc.edu	
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