“The Global Executive MBA program is a game changer. Traveling to other countries humbles you, makes you more introspective, and helps you realize that you still have so much to learn about the world.”

Vats Rajagopalan, Alumnus
Principal, Investcorp Bank
Bahrain
The Duke MBA—Global Executive program draws from the same faculty, applies the same rigorous grading standards, and provides the same degree as all Duke MBA programs. However, the curriculum addresses more advanced issues and strategies to serve participants who have or will soon assume global responsibilities.

The program begins in July of each year, concludes in 15 months, and has five core academic terms. You will go through the program with the same class cohort. Each term consists of a reading period followed by two weeks of in-person classes called residencies, which are held at an international site. You will then engage in approximately two months of distance learning, during which you will continue your coursework from anywhere in the world through online classroom sessions, team projects, individual assignments, and exams.

Your non-US residencies are split between two cities within the same region of the world, offering a rich cultural immersion experience. As a class, you will travel across the globe and strengthen your networking bonds by taking the curriculum together in the same sequence.

The Global Executive program and curriculum are designed for senior executives looking to strengthen their leadership of global enterprises. The curriculum includes eight core modules, three multi-term courses, plus an option to take electives and earn a concentration or certificate in one of six areas, after graduating.

Core Modules
Eight core modules span the functional spectrum within business: Accounting, Decision Sciences, Economics, Finance, Management, Marketing, Operations, and Strategy. These courses create a strong framework across all business disciplines, enhanced by discussions that are uniquely relevant to the issues facing senior executives. While the program’s curriculum serves as a foundation that will support the evolution of your career, you may choose to expand beyond the core after graduation, for additional tuition. Specialty elective courses enable you to dive deeper into a specific subject, explore a new industry, or hone your professional interests.

Sample Program-at-a-Glance

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Note: Residency locations and course sequence subject to change.
Multi-Term Courses

Two courses focused on global markets and institutions, and cultures and civilizations span the program and draw their content across the regions to which you travel for your residencies. You will understand implications of leading a global firm because you will study, discuss, and experience the ways in which institutions, markets, cultures, and civilizations from any given region, can both enhance and hinder international commerce.

Your third multi-term course addresses the unique leadership and personal development issues facing senior executives, such as developing skills to effectively conduct internal and external corporate relations. After individual assessments, you will work on a personal development plan and a business action plan, which provide an opportunity to apply classroom constructs to your unique work situation. You will also be assigned a personal coach.

Optional Electives, Concentration, or Certificate

Electives give you the opportunity to specialize in one function or industry and help to sharpen and/or broaden your business knowledge. After graduation and for additional tuition, you may choose to participate in a shared electives term with students from our Weekend Executive and Cross Continent MBA programs. If you participate in the electives, you may further elect to pursue a concentration or certificate, which would require you to take certain electives and conduct a substantial independent project with a faculty advisor. You may choose one of several concentrations: Energy and the Environment, Entrepreneurship and Innovation, Finance, Marketing, or Strategy, or you can pursue a certificate in Health Sector Management.

A TYPICAL CLASS REPRESENTATION

Average Age: 39
Work Experience: 15 years avg / 10 years minimum
Students with Advanced Degrees: 32%
Non-US Citizenship: 38%
Women: 23%

Industries
- Financial Services
- IT/Media/Entertainment
- Health Care
- Energy & Environment
- Consulting
- Consumer Goods
- Govt./Military
- Other

Function
- General Mgmt.
- Finance
- Consulting
- Sales/Marketing
- IT/Engineering
- Clinician/Scientist
- Operations
- Other

APPLICATION PROCESS

It is to your advantage to apply early to give yourself the longest possible time to prepare both academically and professionally.* Typically, you will receive a decision within two to four weeks after we receive all required materials to complete your application. No GMAT is required.

Prior to applying, we encourage you to contact an admissions counselor (global-mba-info@fuqua.duke.edu) who will give you feedback on your work experience and academic background and guide you through the admissions process.

Application Deadlines for the Class of 2017 (beginning July 2016):
- October 21, 2015
- December 2, 2015
- February 10, 2016
- March 30, 2016
- May 4, 2016
- June 1, 2016

Apply online at www.fuqua.duke.edu.

* Please note: all international students should apply by May 4, 2016, to ensure sufficient time for visa processing.
Join a diverse network of senior-level executives and gain industry insights and tools to impact your business. Become embedded and connected in key world economies and participate in discussions that will advance business and add value to your company.

Guided by world-class faculty and industry thought-leaders, you experience the intricacies of global business firsthand and develop advanced analytical, strategic, and leadership skills to succeed anywhere in the world.

- Gain a global leadership perspective with a curriculum and format specifically designed for global immersion
- Team with and learn from a cohort of other global leaders with diverse backgrounds and industry experience
- Live and work anywhere in the world while pursuing The Duke MBA and add immediate value to your organization
- Specialize with an optional concentration in Energy and the Environment, Entrepreneurship and Innovation, Finance, Marketing, or Strategy; or pursue a certificate in Health Sector Management (additional fees apply)

To know what’s happening in global business, you need to be where business happens.
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