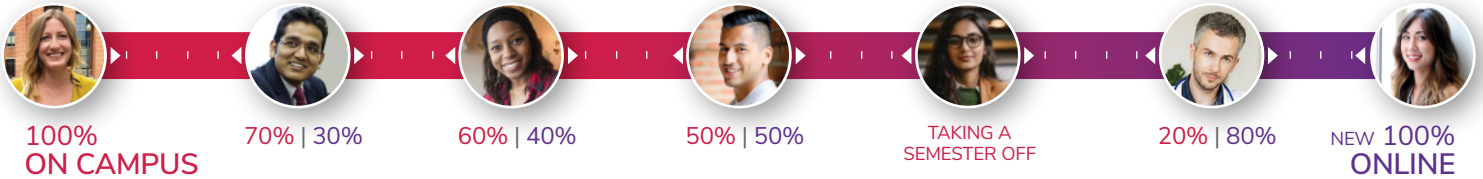


## Max M. Fisher College of Business

# Working Professional MBA

The Working Professional MBA (WPMBA) program at The Ohio State University Max M. Fisher College of Business is more convenient and far-reaching than ever, thanks to our online offering. Join Ohio's premier part-time MBA program and take control of your future.

Earn the Fisher MBA on-campus, online or a mix of both.



## MBA Excellence

For more than a century, we've offered one of the best educational experiences in the nation, with a diverse and supportive community encouraging unique perspectives.

Whether you're on campus or online, the WPMBA program provides the same opportunities to connect with the hallmarks of Fisher's globally recognized MBA degree.

- A top U.S. program ranked by U.S. News & World Report
- Premier faculty and industry experts
- Unforgettable experiential learning
- Engaging, hands-on curriculum
- Wide-ranging electives, including specializations
- Award-winning one-on-one career coaching, mentorship and professional development
- Personalized academic advising and guidance
- Recruiting events, networking, job fairs and speakers

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## Online WPMBA

As part of the online option, WPMBA students can complete their degree 100 percent online or blend their experience with a mix of in-person and distance course offerings. It's up to you.

- Seamlessly integrated into the on-campus WPMBA
- Build and apply new skills while working
- Teaches how business is happening today
- The same MBA degree as on-campus MBA students

### ROBUST, ENGAGING, CONVENIENT

Students can expect courses that are a synchronous and asynchronous mix and are supported by video modules and recorded class sessions. The self-paced, asynchronous portion is accessible 24/7, providing greater flexibility that can fit your schedule while keeping you connected to campus.

Each core class consists of two to three sections, with at least one delivered online. Online electives are also available based on sections offered and timing. Students learning online have sufficient courses to complete their required 48 total credit hours entirely online, and should expect every class to have at least 30% live (synchronous) content, with required attendance.

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# Experiential

Learning by doing is a cornerstone of Fisher's immersive, action-based MBA curriculum, and there are many ways to engage with organizations near and far on

## MAKE AN IMPACT

Along with building a business foundation in core courses, use elective credits to differentiate yourself as a leader. You'll have opportunities to get involved in signature programs such as Fisher's Global Applied Projects program (GAP), Global Business Expeditions (GBE) and The Washington Campus.

## GET CONNECTED AND STAY CONNECTED

By enrolling in the WPMBA program, you'll join a network of diverse classmates with varied perspectives and professional experience at organizations such as Abbott, AEP, Amazon, Battelle, Cardinal Health, Deloitte, Honda, JPMorgan Chase, Nationwide, P&G and the U.S. military. Opportunities to grow your network include connecting with Fisher alumni as well as with more than 100 of the college's world-class faculty.



# Transformational

Take control of your leadership legacy while building diverse, career-shaping skills and relationships with your peers, our faculty, corporate partners and

## AN IMMERSIVE EXPERIENCE

Our intentionally small class sizes create engaging and collaborative classroom experiences while fostering meaningful opportunities for our MBA students to learn from each other.



## SUSTAINED SUPPORT

Every student has access to a dedicated team of career services professionals including an experienced career coach, professional development coach and academic advisor. This team will work with you to understand your academic needs and professional goals. The Office of Career Management, dedicated solely to providing Fisher students and alumni with award-winning career consultation and professional development, provides lifelong career services that leverage the breadth of Fisher and Ohio State's partner and alumni networks.



## Get started

The WPMBA program is open to those currently employed with at least two years of post-baccalaureate work experience. We can make admission exceptions for a handful of students currently unemployed or actively seeking employment to return to the workplace. Start your graduate application for spring or autumn enrollment.

[go.osu.edu/apply-wpmba](https://go.osu.edu/apply-wpmba)

E-mail: [mba@fisher.osu.edu](mailto:mba@fisher.osu.edu)

## Test Waivers Available

Applications are considered without a GMAT, GRE, or EA test score as long as the following two qualifications are met:

1. Earned at least a 3.0 undergrad cumulative GPA (4.0 scale)  
AND
2. Display quantitative acumen through either coursework, certifications, advanced/STEM degrees, relevant work/military experience.

*Waiver decisions are at the discretion of the Admissions Committee.*

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# Working Professional MBA Curriculum

One program: in-person and/or online

Students in the Working Professional MBA program take 11 core courses and personalize 21 elective credit hours to reach their total required credit hours. As a part-time student you'll select from 2-3 core course sections taught either in-person (on-campus) or online (distance). You can complete the program entirely in-person, online or a mix of both. Learn about course delivery at [go.osu.edu/wpmba-course-delivery](http://go.osu.edu/wpmba-course-delivery).

<p><b>27 CORE CREDIT HOURS</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Accounting (3)</li> <li>Data Analysis (3)</li> <li>Finance (3)</li> <li>Global Environment of Business (1.5)</li> <li>Leadership (1.5)</li> <li>Managerial Economics (3)</li> <li>Marketing (3)</li> <li>Operations (3)</li> <li>Professional Development (1.5)</li> <li>Organizational Behavior (1.5)</li> <li>Strategy (3)</li> </ul>	+	<p><b>21 ELECTIVE CREDIT HOURS</b></p> <p>A rich selection of on-campus and online electives await you at Fisher. You can even select up to 8 of your graduate elective credits from across the university.</p> <p>View electives at <a href="http://go.osu.edu/electives-wpmba">go.osu.edu/electives-wpmba</a>.</p>	=	<p><b>48 CREDIT HOURS TOTAL</b></p> <p>A minimum of 48 credit hours is required to graduate.</p>
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## Autumn Start

Example course sequence\* (6 credit hours)

Below is a course sequence paced at 6 credit hours or less. You can, however, adjust credit hours as needed to accelerate or slow down your learning pace. Core classes are offered on weekday evenings or weekends, so you can complete the program when you choose.

Evening and weekend

- Core weekday evening class only
- Core weekend class only (alternative)
- Core evening or weekend<sup>1</sup> classes available
- Elective class

### AUTUMN START▶▶▶▶

	Autumn Term 1 7 weeks	Autumn Term 2 7 weeks	Spring Term 1 7 weeks	Spring Term 2 7 weeks	Summer 12 weeks
Year One	Managerial Economics <sup>†</sup> (Orgs, Markets and Mgmt.) MBA 6243 - 3 Credits		Data Analysis MBA 6273 - 3 Credits		Elective 3 Credits
	Marketing MBA 6253 - 3 Credits	Operations MBA 6233 - 3 Credits	Leadership MBA 6202 - 1.5 Credits	Organizational Behavior MBA 6201 - 1.5 Credits	Elective 3 Credits
	Operations <sup>2</sup> MBA 6233 - 3 Credits	Marketing <sup>2</sup> MBA 6253 - 3 Credits			

	Autumn Term 1 7 weeks	Autumn Term 2 7 weeks	Spring Term 1 7 weeks	Spring Term 2 7 weeks	Summer 12 weeks
Year Two	Accounting MBA 6211 - 3 Credits		Finance MBA 6223 - 3 Credits		Elective 3 Credits
	Marketing MBA 6253 - 3 Credits	Operations MBA 6233 - 3 Credits	Global Environment of Business MBA 6261 - 1.5 Credits	Professional Development MBA 6281 - 1.5 Credits	Elective 3 Credits
	Managerial Economics <sup>2</sup> (Orgs, Markets and Mgmt.) MBA 6243 - 3 Credits	Accounting <sup>2</sup> MBA 6211 - 3 Credits	Finance MBA 6223 - 3 Credits	Global Environment of Business MBA 6261 - 1.5 Credits	

	Autumn Term 1 7 weeks	Autumn Term 2 7 weeks	Spring Term 1 7 weeks	Spring Term 2 7 weeks	
Year Three	Elective 1.5 Credits	Elective 1.5 Credits	Strategy MBA 6293 - 3 Credits		
	Elective 1.5 Credits	Elective 1.5 Credits	Elective 1.5 Credits	Elective 1.5 Credits	
			Strategy MBA 6293 - 3 Credits	GRADUATE <sup>3</sup>	

\* Subject to change. Final class registration instructions are sent from your advisor.  
<sup>†</sup> Accelerated course. 3 credit hours in 7 weeks.  
<sup>1</sup> Enroll in up to 9 credit hours per semester (weekend maximum of 6).  
<sup>2</sup> Weekend-only students need to enroll in Operations, Marketing, Managerial Economics and Accounting in the Autumn of Years 1 and 2.  
<sup>3</sup> You must be enrolled in at least 3 graduate-level credit hours in the final semester before graduation.

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# Working Professional MBA Curriculum

## Spring Start

Example course sequence\* (6 credit hours)

Many Working Professional MBA students elect to start the program in the spring instead of autumn. Below is a course sequence paced at 6 credit hours or less. You can, however, adjust credit hours as needed to accelerate or slow down your learning pace.

## Evening and weekend

- Core weekday evening class only
- Core weekend class only (alternative)
- Core evening or weekend<sup>1</sup> classes available
- Elective class

### SPRING START▶▶▶

	Spring Term 1 7 weeks	Spring Term 2 7 weeks	Summer 12 weeks	Autumn Term 1 7 weeks	Autumn Term 2 7 weeks
Year One	Data Analysis MBA 6273 - 3 Credits		Elective 3 Credits	Accounting MBA 6211 - 3 Credits	
	Leadership MBA 6202 - 1.5 Credits	Organizational Behavior MBA 6201 - 1.5 Credits	Elective 3 Credits	Marketing MBA 6253 - 3 Credits	or Operations MBA 6233 - 3 Credits
				Operations <sup>2</sup> MBA 6233 - 3 Credits	Marketing <sup>2</sup> MBA 6253 - 3 Credits
Year Two	Finance MBA 6223 - 3 Credits	Professional Development MBA 6281 - 1.5 Credits	Elective 3 Credits	Managerial Economics† (Orgs, Markets and Mgmt.) MBA 6243 - 3 Credits	
	Global Environment of Business MBA 6261 - 1.5 Credits	Global Environment of Business MBA 6261 - 1.5 Credits	Elective 3 Credits	Marketing MBA 6253 - 3 Credits	or Operations MBA 6233 - 3 Credits
	Finance MBA 6223 - 3 Credits			Managerial Economics <sup>2</sup> (Orgs, Markets and Mgmt.) MBA 6243 - 3 Credits	Accounting <sup>2</sup> MBA 6211 - 3 Credits
Year Three	Strategy MBA 6293 - 3 Credits	Elective 1.5 Credits	Elective 3 Credits		
	Elective 1.5 Credits	Elective 1.5 Credits	Elective 1.5 Credits	Elective 1.5 Credits	
	Strategy MBA 6293 - 3 Credits				

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