AZERBAIJAN STATE UNIVERSITY OF ECONOMICS (UNEC)



DEPARTMENT: MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

Master of Business Administration

PROGRAM: MBA

SPECIALIZATION: INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS

Objective:

International Business specialization teaches how to master the practical aspects of an international business environment and forms the understanding of uncertain business environments. International Management studies means of making competitive business decisions besides dealing with transparent business activities in multicultural settings. Subjects taught in International Business specialization provides for choices of tradeoff between liability and taxes, peculiarities of economic systems in geographic segments, global supply chain management, and theoretical and practical ways of solving international financial risk management.

MBA program length and location:

International Business specialization of the MBA program lasts for 4 semesters within 2 academic years. The course requirement is 11 core courses (66 credits), 3 electives (18 credits) and a capstone project (12 credits), total 96 ECTS (European Credit Transfer System) credits.

Converted to US credit system the course requirement is 11 core courses (33 credits), 3 electives (9 credits) and a capstone project (6 credits), 48 credits in total.

Courses are taught in fall, spring and summer semesters three times a week. University is located in Istiglaliyyat Street 6, AZ1001, Baku Azerbaijan.

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Admission requirements to the program:

Baccalaureates having a minimum of 2 years of work experience with different backgrounds (economics, commerce, mathematics, engineering, medicine etc.) are eligible to join the MBA program. Eligible international students are accepted to the program based on a contract signed between both parties (university and potential student). Local students are required to pass a uniform state attestation exam before applying to the MBA program. All students are required to provide a proof of English language skills along with academic eligibility.

Admission of international students:

Online admission process is carried out through **kabinet.unec.edu.az** website. International applicants choose a specialty, a language of instruction, and submit the required documents in electronic format. Candidates who meet the application requirements will be admitted. The recommendation letter is included in the required documents. If needed, applicants will be interviewed via "Skype".

Advantages of teaching methods in the MBA program:

The MBA program seeks to improve students for their leadership skills, prepare them to master systematic knowledge, capabilities and management skills, enhance their professional competence, investigate complex business information, learn analytical thinking and decision-making skills, nourish student's entrepreneurial mind, teach them business ethics, presentation and time management skills, This program prepares students to occupy top positions in organizations with different cultures. Case studies, presentations, time management skills, group/individual projects, and business games along with theoretical approach complement a rigorous program. The program also aims at teaching students with change management skills peculiar to non-government, not-for-profit and commercial organizations along with proactive thinking style to project scenarios in a regulatory environment. Students will be graded through midterm, class attendance, participation, home works, and final examinations.

Lecturers/Professors of the MBA Program:

Along with full time faculty members of UNEC the MBA program benefits from scientific and practical potential of professors and lecturers with top academic and managerial background whether in public, government, or private. The program also invites academicians from high ranked universities around the globe and takes advantage of their scientific knowledge and practical potential.

Diploma:

Magistrates who maintain excellent, good, or satisfactory academic standing throughout and graduate from the MBA program of the Azerbaijan State University of Economics receive their MBA degree with all the rights and privileges related to this degree.

International Business courses:

First semester:

SMO 652 Leadership and Organizational Behaviour MGTSC 501 Statistics for Business and Economics

ECON 503 Managerial Economics ACCTG 503 Financial Accounting

Second semester:

BUEC 501 Business in the Global Environment

FIN 502 Corporate Finance MARK 502 Marketing Strategy

ACCTG 502 Management Accounting

Third semester:

ACCTG 501 Financial Reporting and Control (FRC)

OM 502 Operations Management

SMO 502 Strategy, Organization and Innovation

Elective

Forth semester – 3 major electives

BUEC 644 International Business environment

BLAW 642 International Business Law
BLAW 631 Legal Aspects of Management
SMO 607 Managing Chang in Organizations

SMO 635 International Management FIN 644 International Finance

BUEC 510 Comparative Business systems

MARK 614 International Marketing

BUS 640 Global Supply Chain Management SMO 634 Technology and Global Competition

HRM 602 International Business Ethics and Corporate Governance

Capstone – Topics related to International Business