# AZERBAIJAN STATE UNIVERSITY OF ECONOMICS (UNEC)



### **DEPARTMENT:**

## MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

**PROGRAM: MBA** 

**SPECIALIZATION: SECURITIES** 



#### **Objective:**

Securities specialization teaches skills necessary to analyze various securities and investment portfolio. Magistrates, having completed the securities specialization, would start their career in corporate and investment banks, corporations, and other organizations by being involved in complex decision making processes using shares, bonds, futures, options, and other financial derivatives. Successful graduates join to make such important decisions in banks and corporations as trading with securities, mergers & acquisitions, securitization, financing with debt securities and etc.

## MBA program length and location:

Securities 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. Potential 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 and graduate from the MBA program receive their MBA degree with all the rights and privileges related to this degree.

#### **Securities courses:**

#### First semester:

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

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 Management Accounting ACCTG 502

#### Third semester:

ACCTG 501 Financial Reporting and Control (FRC)

OM 502 **Operations Management** 

Strategy, Organization and Innovation SMO 502

Elective

#### Forth semester -3 major electives

FIN 652	Analytical tools in Portfolio Management
FIN 615	Securities Trading and Financial Markets
FIN 634	Options Analysis and Financial Derivatives
FIN 624	Multinational Corporate Finance

FIN 618

Quantitative Analysis for Decision Making

Alternative Investments FIN 632

FIN 614 Investments

FİN 637 Fixed Income Securities and credit markets

HRM 602 International Business Ethics and Corporate Governance

International Business environment BUEC 644

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

**Capstone** – Topics related to Securities