

UNIVERSITY OF EDINBURGH Business School

# The Edinburgh Online MBA

PG Online Learning Open Days 2025

This session will start at 10am (BST)





# Coming Up

#### • Discover the Business School

Hear about what makes our community so special

#### Introduction to the Online MBA

Explore the online format and programme structure

#### • How to apply

Learn about our selection criteria and entry requirements

#### • Fees and funding

Understand costs and explore scholarship options

#### • Q&A

Use the chat box to get answers to your specific questions







# University of Edinburgh Business School

- 100+ years teaching business
- Triple accredited:
  - AMBA, EQUIS, AACSB
- Professional accreditations:
  - CIMA, ACCA, CFA, CBI, CIPD
- Small cohort size
- 260 faculty and staff
- 700+ PGT students
- 70+ nationalities
- Vibrant research ecosystem
- Dedicated student support
- Industry engagement
- Networking events
- Guest speakers
- 20,000+ alumni







# Why an MBA?

#### Internationally recognised

Known worldwide as *the* qualification for aspiring leaders

#### • Widen your outlook

Empowers specialists to take broader view of management

#### • Enhance professional skills

Boost confidence, autonomy, and strategic thinking abilities

#### • Improve leadership ability

Develop your capability to lead change (in any sector)

#### Make connections

Build a lifelong professional (and social) network





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# Our Online MBA is unique...

#### • Duration

Completed in 2 years and 9 months\*

#### Start dates

Join us in March or September

#### • Curriculum

Core and option courses, plus a Management Project

#### Interactive Learning

Four live tutorials per course + pre-recorded content

#### • Leadership Focus

Strategic leadership is a holistic theme throughout

#### • Development

Credit-bearing professional development

# • Coaching

Two sessions of 1:1 personal coaching

#### • Practical Experience

Group consultancy projects (cross-geography, real-time)

#### Stay connected

Online community-building events

#### • Flexible Week, Structured Journey

Exciting and dynamic pre-set schedule stretching across the programme duration

\*Subject to university approval, the length of this programme will be reduced to 24/30 months from September 2025 entry.



## Our three pillars

STRATEGIC LEADERSHIP PROFESSIONAL

DEVELOPMENT

GLOBAL AND CONNECTED



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## **Programme Structure**

#### Duration

Blocks are typically 3 months long, with 2 courses per block

#### • Any time, anywhere

All pre-recorded materials are released at the start of a course

#### • Each course typically includes:

- 8 pre-recorded units
- 4 live tutorials
- 5-8 hours of effort per week
- Interactive activities and discussions forums

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### **Programme Structure**

Year 2	Year 3	
<ul> <li>Finance</li> <li>Business Transformation in the Digital Age</li> <li>Data and Analytics for Leaders</li> <li>Organising for Effectiveness</li> <li>Professional Development (continued)</li> <li>Strategic Leadership (continued)</li> </ul>	Management Project (30 credits) AND 3 Option Courses OR Management Project (40 credits) AND 2 Option Courses	<ul> <li>Option Courses</li> <li>Business Strategy for Environmentally Suitable Futures</li> <li>Financial Analysis</li> <li>Financial Aspects of Mergers and Acquisitions</li> <li>Global Strategy</li> <li>Marketing Communications and Branding</li> </ul>
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- Negotiations
- New Venture Creation
- Supply Chain Management





# 66 My MBA gave me the **business strategy** and insight to launch successful cross-team initiatives.

Cori Schwabe MBA

Changing business strategy within client services





# **Admissions Requirements**

#### We are looking for:

- At least **3 years** of managerial level work experience
- A UK first-class or **2:1** honours degree in any subject, or an equivalent overseas qualification

#### **Required documents:**

- CV
- Undergraduate degree certificate
- Official transcript (on headed paper or with a University stamp and signature, as well as grading scale)
- Professional reference
- Personal statement
- English language certificate (e.g. TOEFL, IELTS)

**Note:** Documents must be provided in the original language as well as with an official English translation.







# Funding your studies

### Tuition fees for 2025 entry – Online MBA

Home and international

£36,000\*

\*This fee is fixed for the duration of the online MBA; the fee you sign up to is the fee you will be charged, and there will not be any inter-year increases. Tuition fees will be payable in **3 instalments**.

#### Online MBA Diversity Scholarships

- Offered to candidates who enhance the diversity of cultures or perspectives on the Edinburgh MBA
- Value ranging between £2,500 £10,000
- Deadline to apply: 6 August 2025





# Apply

Applications are open for **September 2025** entry

The application deadline is **25 August 2025** 

Apply now via our website





# **Questions?**



# Thank you

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