

# One Year Professional Management MBA

# MBA

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## A FAST, RIGOROUS MBA ALTERNATIVE



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North Central College's one-year professional management MBA builds upon the foundation you established with your undergraduate business degree. Courses are taught primarily by full-time faculty with years of teaching experience as well as strong business resumes. Their diverse teaching styles, ability to integrate theory with practical applications and focus on ethical decision-making provide a positive, dynamic learning atmosphere.

You can complete your MBA in one year with hard work, successful time management, a commitment to teamwork and a desire to improve your business skills.

A spirit of competition will develop with your colleagues. You will learn from each other, grow together intellectually and establish meaningful lifelong business relationships. And it all happens in one ambitious year.

## NORTH CENTRAL COLLEGE'S ONE YEAR PROFESSIONAL MANAGEMENT MBA

### PROGRAM FEATURES

- A professional management program completed within one year
- A variety of instructional techniques, each designed to help you integrate theory and application
- Leadership and ethics incorporated throughout the curriculum
- Commitment to teaching you how to manage people and collaborate with others

### THE PROGRAM

The curriculum consists of a coordinated and cohesive set of 10 courses (30 credit hours), and balances management theory with applications in a broad spectrum of organizational settings. Courses are offered in a cohort format and meet every Monday and Thursday from 6:00 to 10:00 p.m. There are five 8-week sessions, with two courses taken during each 8-week period. The first session begins in late August and the last session ends in early August of the following year. Total time to completion: 51 weeks

### APPLICATION PREREQUISITES

All students entering the program must have earned a bachelor's degree from an accredited college or university within the past five years. In addition, the seven specific courses (21 credit hours or their equivalent) must be completed prior to enrollment in the program. For a prerequisite to be met the student must have completed the course with a grade of B- or better. All prerequisites must be met to be accepted into the program. These prerequisites (and their North Central College undergraduate equivalent courses) are:

- Financial Accounting (ACC 201)
- Managerial Accounting (ACC 202)
- Business Law (BUS 105)
- Statistics (BUS 241)
- Microeconomics (ECN 250)
- Macroeconomics (ECN 252)
- Financial Management (FIN 350)

## REQUIRED GRADUATE MBA COURSES (10 COURSES, 30 CREDIT HOURS)

Students take two courses per session over five, 8-week sessions.

- MKT 570 – Marketing Management
- FIN 635 – Advanced Financial Management
- MIS 510 – Management Information Systems
- ACC 601 – Financial Analysis and Control
- BUS 546 – Operations Research
- MGT 645 – Organizational Leadership
- MGT 621 – Organizational Behavior
- MGT 623 – Human Resource Management
- MGT 682 – International Management\*
- MGT 675 – Strategic Management

\*In the future it may be possible to offer an alternative short overseas trip to meet the International experience component of the program. Also, International Management and Strategic Management, combined in the same session, forms your capstone experience.

## CLASS SCHEDULE AND CALENDER

- 1st session: August 13, 2007 — October 8  
MKT 570 (Monday) and FIN 635 (Thursday);
- 2nd session: October 18 — December 13  
MIS 510 (Monday) and ACC 601 (Thursday)
- 3rd session: January 7, 2008 — March 3  
BUS 546 (Monday) and MGT 645 (Thursday)
- 4th session: March 24 — May 15  
MGT 621 (Monday) and MGT 623 (Thursday)
- 5th session: June 9 — July 31  
MGT 682 (Monday) and MGT 675 (Thursday)

## RESIDENCY REQUIREMENT

All MBA students must complete a residency requirement of 24 graduate-level credit hours. Prerequisite courses taken at North Central College do not count toward the residency requirement. Students may transfer up to six credit hours of graduate coursework. Transferred courses must have been completed prior to enrollment in the program.

## TUITION 2006-2007

- \$592 per credit hour (classes are 3 credit hours each)
- \$20 technology fee per term

For further information, contact the Office of Admission at [ncadm@noctrl.edu](mailto:ncadm@noctrl.edu) or (630) 637-5840.

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