

PH.D. IN BUSINESS

The Gabelli School of Business Ph.D. program offers highly qualified students a unique opportunity to study alongside leading scholars in the heart of Manhattan. This full-time, research-intensive program provides the requisite empirical and theoretical skills necessary for students to become academic scholars. A specialized curriculum and faculty mentorship position students to contribute to business scholarship at the highest level.

The Gabelli School Ph.D. is intended for individuals who envision themselves as researchers or faculty members at universities and other institutions around the world. Ph.D. students complete coursework, pass a series of exams and, of course, propose, write, and defend a dissertation. Students will specialize in one of the Gabelli School's traditional academic areas, such as finance or management. Upon admission, students select one of two interdisciplinary curriculum tracks:

- Capital Markets
- Strategy and Decision-Making

The Capital Markets track combines the traditional aspects of economic theory with the quantitative rigor of finance and accounting. The Strategy and Decision-Making track encompasses all aspects of the contemporary study of decision-making with theories of management, marketing, information systems, business ethics, business media, and operations.

Students in each track complete specialized coursework and receive relevant professional skills training. Program graduates can expect to research and teach in multiple fields in the discipline.

Learning Competencies

1. Students will demonstrate the ability to critically evaluate and discuss doctoral-level business research.
2. Students will demonstrate knowledge of the major tenets of business theory, principles, and practice, in addition to mastering specialized knowledge of their individual subfields.
3. Students will demonstrate the ability to engage intellectually with all fields of knowledge in business.
4. Students will demonstrate the ability to conduct independent research that is innovative, relevant to the field, and addresses the foundational issues of the study of business.
5. Students will demonstrate understanding of relevant research trends and methods that shape the field.
6. Students will demonstrate the ability to share knowledge, research, and ideas with diverse groups, including, but not limited to, students, faculty members, professional colleagues, international journal audiences, conference attendees, and administrators. In doing so, students must be attentive to audiences' specific needs, responsibilities, and challenges. Students must especially demonstrate preparation for teaching.
7. Students will demonstrate the ability to successfully participate in academia as one of thousands of researchers working and sharing their ideas at an international level.

CIP Code

52.0201 - Business Administration and Management, General.

You can use the CIP code to learn more about career paths associated with this field of study and, for international students, possible post-graduation visa extensions. Learn more about CIP codes and other information resources.

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