

PROFESSIONAL M.B.A.

The Gabelli School's Professional M.B.A. is designed for people who plan on keeping their jobs while they go through school. This program provides you with a next-level credential that will capitalize on your work experience—not duplicate it. It can be finished in as little as two years, six trimesters. Classes meet after work or on weekends, and the Gabelli School's class schedule allows you to make the most of your time at our Columbus Circle campus by taking two courses in the same evening.

Program Overview

The Professional M.B.A. program is ideal for individuals with three to seven years of work experience who seek a well-rounded, upper-level business education while maintaining a full-time job. Please note: this program is limited strictly to a part-time plan of study; Professional M.B.A. candidates may take a maximum of two classes (six credits) per term in their first year.

The new curriculum includes a slate of core courses to build a strong foundation across all business disciplines and electives that offer a choice of courses targeted to your interests.

Professional M.B.A. students can choose among seven primary concentrations as a focus for their studies, and can specialize the degree further with a secondary concentration.

For more information on the Professional M.B.A., visit the Fordham website.

Requirements

The Professional M.B.A. is a 52-credit program. In their first year, Professional M.B.A. students take two courses per trimester. The Gabelli School offers three terms each year—fall, spring, and summer—to enable your progress.

The layout of the program is as follows:

Course	Title	Credits
DGGB 6820	Statistics	3
BEGB 6220	Econ Analysis & Bus Decisions	3
ACGB 6111	Fundamentals of Accounting I	3
BLGB 6321	Markets, Business, and Society	3
Five "Flex" courses from the following:		15
ISGB 6910	Business Tech & Analytics	
BLGB 6310	Business Law I	
MKGB 6710	Customer-Driven Marketing	
LPGB 6613	Leading People and Organizations	
FNGB 6411	Intro Financial Sys & Methods	
OPGB 6627	Operations Management	
CMGB 7550	Leadership Communication	
SAGB 7660	Strategy	
ACGB 7155	Managerial Accounting Analysis	
Five Concentration courses		15
Three Elective or Secondary Concentration courses		9
CPGB 7100	Gabelli Capstone Experience	1
Total Credits		52

Students who wish to pursue two primary concentrations must complete 58 credits.

Students may take an optional "bootcamp" course, administered online, prior to:

- Statistics
- Econ Analysis & Bus Decisions
- Fundamentals of Accounting I

to review fundamental prerequisite concepts that the course assumes a working knowledge of.

Concentrations

Five-course primary concentrations and three-course secondary concentrations are the way to customize your degree.

Primary Concentrations

- Accounting Concentration
- Accounting Technology Analytics Concentration
- Communication and Media Management Concentration
- FinTech Concentration
- Finance Concentration
- Information Systems Concentration
- Management Concentration
- Marketing Concentration
- Public Accountancy Concentration

With the exception of Public Accountancy and FinTech, all primary concentrations can also be pursued as secondary concentrations.

Secondary Concentrations

- Blockchain Secondary Concentration
- Compliance and Risk Management Secondary Concentration
- Electronic Business Secondary Concentration
- Entrepreneurship Secondary Concentration
- Global Sustainability Secondary Concentration
- Healthcare Management Secondary Concentration
- International Business Secondary Concentration

One-on-one meetings with graduate academic advisers will be indispensable as you make decisions about whether to pursue a concentration or secondary concentration, and if so, which. Our advisers offer special expertise in navigating requirements and ensuring that your academic program matches your post-M.B.A. plans. The deadline for full-time M.B.A. students to determine your selected concentrations and notify your academic adviser of your selections is the end of the add/drop period for the fall semester of your second year of the full-time M.B.A. program. Consult your adviser for your deadline if you are completing the Professional M.B.A. program.