MANAGEMENT, MS

for the Master of Science in Management (on-campus & online)

The Master of Science in Management can be completed either on campus or online.

The Master of Science in Management is a 36 graduate hour master's program. It is designed to provide a foundation for practitioners leading and managing teams, units, or organizations. It provides a general management foundation and an opportunity to focus on a particular area of specialization.

Students in this program are not eligible for tuition and fee waivers, except for those that are statutory.

Admission
Admission to the MS in Management program requires an undergraduate degree with a scholastic average of at least B for the last 60 hours and for any previous graduate work completed along with completion of at least one college-level quantitative methods class. For additional details, please refer to the program's website. All applicants whose native language is not English must submit a minimum Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOFEL) score of at least 102 (iBT), 253 (CBT), or 610 (PBT); or minimum International English Language Testing System (IELTS) academic exam scores of 6.5 overall and 6.0 in all subsections.

Faculty Research Interests
Faculty research interests are in the areas of marketing, organizational behavior, organization theory, decision sciences, information systems, strategic management, risk analysis, judgment under uncertainty, international business, production and operations management, accounting, economics, entrepreneurship, and finance. The Gies College of Business houses computer facilities, a behavioral science laboratory, and a separate library. The college maintains contacts with industry and government through its Survey Research Laboratory, Illinois Business Consulting, the Academy for Entrepreneurial Leadership and several professional and scholarly journals edited by its faculty.

Financial Aid
The M.S. in Business Administration, the M.S. in Management, the M.S. in Strategic Brand Communication, and the M.S. in Technology Management do not provide assistantships. Tuition and fee waivers are not available for this program.

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Upon graduation, students will be able to:

1. Learn to combine knowledge, problem solving skills, and integrative thinking across areas such as economics, finance, marketing, operations and project management, management and accounting, and international business.

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2. Enhance development of critical “managerial skills” of leadership, entrepreneurship innovation, teamwork, ethics and communication. A project component of the degree promotes a team orientation as well as integrative thinking across these areas.

3. Obtain a sound understanding of management strategy. Students will gain a deep appreciation for using business tools for creative problem solving, decision making and formulating strategy.

4. Enrich the capacity to learn new business concepts, think critically about management and ethical issues, and respond to new technologies, emerging global changes, and market trends.

 Majors:

- Business Administration, MBA (http://catalog.illinois.edu/graduate/bus/business-administration-online-mba/) (online-iMBA)
- Business Analytics, MS (http://catalog.illinois.edu/graduate/bus/business-analytics-ms/)
  - Information Technology & Control (http://catalog.illinois.edu/graduate/bus/concentration/badm/information-technology-control/)
  - Supply Chain Management (http://catalog.illinois.edu/graduate/bus/concentration/badm/supply-chain-management/)
- Management, MS (p. 1)
  - with optional concentrations:
    - Business Data Analytics (http://catalog.illinois.edu/graduate/bus/concentration/badm/business-data-analytics/)
    - Corporate Governance & International Business (http://catalog.illinois.edu/graduate/bus/concentration/badm/corporate-governance-international-business/)
    - Finance (http://catalog.illinois.edu/graduate/bus/concentration/finance/finance/)
    - Information Technology & Control (http://catalog.illinois.edu/graduate/bus/concentration/badm/information-technology-control/)
    - Supply Chain Management (http://catalog.illinois.edu/graduate/bus/concentration/badm/supply-chain-management/)
- Technology Management, MS (http://catalog.illinois.edu/graduate/bus/technology-management-ms/)
  - with optional concentrations:
    - Accountancy (http://catalog.illinois.edu/graduate/bus/concentration/accountancy/)
    - Business Data Analytics (http://catalog.illinois.edu/graduate/bus/concentration/badm/business-data-analytics/)
    - Business & Public Policy (http://catalog.illinois.edu/graduate/bus/concentration/finance/business-public-policy/)
    - Finance (http://catalog.illinois.edu/graduate/bus/concentration/finance/finance/)
    - Information Technology & Control (http://catalog.illinois.edu/graduate/bus/concentration/badm/information-technology-control/)
    - Supply Chain Management (http://catalog.illinois.edu/graduate/bus/concentration/badm/supply-chain-management/)

 Business Administration, PhD (http://catalog.illinois.edu/graduate/bus/business-administration-phd/)

 Minors:

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- Corporate Governance & International Business (http://catalog.illinois.edu/graduate/bus/minors/badm/corporate-governance-international-business/)
- Supply Chain Management (http://catalog.illinois.edu/graduate/bus/minors/badm/supply-chain-management/)

 Concentrations:

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- Information Technology & Control (http://catalog.illinois.edu/graduate/bus/concentration/badm/information-technology-control/)
- Supply Chain Management (http://catalog.illinois.edu/graduate/bus/concentration/badm/supply-chain-management/)

 Certificates:

- Digital Marketing, CERT (http://catalog.illinois.edu/graduate/bus/badm/digital-marketing-cert/)
- Entrepreneurship & Strategic Innovation, CERT (http://catalog.illinois.edu/graduate/bus/badm/entrepreneurship-strategic-innovation-cert/)
- Financial Management, CERT (http://catalog.illinois.edu/graduate/bus/badm/financial-management-cert/)
- Global Challenges in Business, CERT (http://catalog.illinois.edu/graduate/bus/badm/global-challenges-business-cert/)
- Managerial Economics & Business Analysis, CERT (http://catalog.illinois.edu/graduate/bus/badm/managerial-economics-business-analysis-cert/)
- Strategic Leadership Management, CERT (http://catalog.illinois.edu/graduate/bus/badm/strategic-leadership-management-cert/)
- Value Chain Management, CERT (http://catalog.illinois.edu/graduate/bus/badm/value-chain-management-cert/)

 Joint Degree Program:

- Accountancy, MS (iMSA) & Business Administration, MBA (iMBA) (http://catalog.illinois.edu/graduate/bus/joint-degree/accountancy-ms-business-mba-online/)

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