

Accelerated M.B.A. in Leadership *at Rindge*

**Become the leader
you are meant to be.**

The Master of Business Administration (M.B.A.) is a full-time day graduate degree program offered at the College at Rindge. It is designed for individuals who have earned their bachelor's degree and are preparing to assume positions of influence in business organizations and communities.

Graduates of Franklin Pierce University's M.B.A. in Leadership program are equipped with the quantitative and qualitative skills to view situations from a system-wide perspective. Working in leadership roles, they are able to apply the processes of collaboration, strategic thinking and critical analysis to management challenges and opportunities. The leadership focus helps graduates relate key management perspectives to broader human, organizational and community issues.

Course of Study

The M.B.A. in Leadership is a 40 credit program consisting of 13 courses. The course of study is designed to be completed in 12 months. This assumes a start in June and completion in May of the following year.

Courses		Credits
GM 510	Seminar in Leadership	3
GM 520	Legal & Ethical Issues	3
GM 525+	Management Information Systems	3
GM 535*	Managerial Communications	3
GM 540*	Organizational Behavior	3
GM 541	Managerial Accounting	3
GM 542	Quantitative Techniques	3
GM 543	Economics for Managers	3
GM 561	Financial Management	3
GM 562	Marketing Management	3
GM 563*	Human Resource Management	3
GM 564	Operations Management	3
GI 610+	eCommerce	3
GM 640	International Management	3
GM 691	Strategic Management Seminar	4
	Total Credits	40

+ Students will select one of these two courses.

* Students will select two of these three courses.

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The Program

The Master of Business Administration degree program requires students to develop a Leadership Portfolio. The portfolio enables students to articulate leadership strategies. The portfolio begins with a "foundation paper," using an organizational strategic management process to guide students in their progress through the program. Each course requires a module paper to be added to the portfolio allowing students to track their progress and reflect on their learning; continuously linking learning to their strategic plan.

MBA Objectives

Graduates of the Franklin Pierce University M.B.A. program will develop the abilities to:

- Understand classic leadership theory, and analyze diverse organizational cultures from different frames of reference.
- Articulate their concept of leadership and management to advocate for and effect meaningful change, and demonstrate their skills as leaders.
- Apply knowledge, values, disposition and critical thinking skills to business environments.
- Identify, gather, organize, interpret and synthesize information, making use of an expert body of knowledge to become competent problems solvers and decision makers.
- Communicate persuasively and coherently using oral, written and electronic methods.
- Recognize ethical dilemmas in the business environment.
- Use valid and reliable quantitative and qualitative methods of inquiry and decision making.
- Understand, analyze and employ data and results of financial statements and reports.
- Appreciate cultural relativism as it relates to global perspectives.

- Understand the relationships of government, business and economic systems within society.
- Exercise informed social responsibility within organizational and community frameworks.

Admissions

Qualified candidates must have a bachelor's degree from a regionally accredited college or university with a GPA of 2.8 or greater. Acceptance to the M.B.A. program requires prerequisite courses have been successfully completed in the areas of Accounting, Economics and Statistics. Applicants who have not completed the prerequisite courses but have substantially mastered these foundation competencies by other means, such as life experience, may prepare documentation of these competencies at the time of application.

Detailed admission and acceptance criteria are listed in the University's Academic Catalog, which is available on the Web site.

How to Apply

For more information, please contact the Academic Director, Edward French, at 603.899.1186 or the College of Graduate & Professional Studies Admissions Office at 1.800.325.1090.

For instructions and application requirements and to apply now, go to www.franklinpierce.edu/gradapply.htm

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