

## PROGRAM STRUCTURE

### Foundation (24 credits)

- MBA 501 Principles of Management and Organizational Behavior
- MBA 502 Business Mathematics
- MBA 503 Financial Accounting
- MBA 504 Business Research Methods
- MBA 505 Managerial Economics
- MBA 506 Marketing Management
- MBA 507 Business Communication
- MBA 508 Management Information Systems

### Integration (24 credits)

- MBA 509 Human Resources Management
- MBA 510 Macroeconomics
- MBA 511 Financial Management
- MBA 512 Operations Management
- MBA 513 Management Accounting
- MBA 514 International Business
- MBA 515 Legal & Ethical Issues in Business
- MBA 550 Strategic Management

### Focus (12 credits)

#### Areas

1. Human Resources Management
2. Finance
3. Marketing
4. Banking
5. Supply Chain Management
6. International Business

## SUMMARY OF PROGRAM STRUCTURE

**A. FOUNDATION = 8 × 3 = 24 credit hours**

**B. INTEGRATION = 8 × 3 = 24 credit hours**

**C. FOCUS = 4 × 3 = 12 credit hours**

**TOTAL = 60 CREDIT HOURS (20 COURSES)**

## ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

Admission to the program will be selective. To apply, students must fulfill the following criteria:

1. 3-year Bachelor Degree from a reputed university with at least one year of work experience  
or  
4-year Bachelor Degree from a reputed university. Some work experience after graduation in a managerial/executive position is preferable, but not essential.
2. A CGPA of at least 2.5 at the undergraduate level with no 3rd division/class in any previous public examination.
3. Acceptable score in the IUB Admission Test. No admission test is required if GMAT score is 500 or above.

The admission test for the MBA program at IUB follows the GMAT structure. The test is of 2.5 hours and there are five sections: **Reading Comprehension, Quantitative Ability, Critical Reasoning, Sentence Correction and Essay Writing.**

To apply, visit:

<http://iub.ac.bd/academics/schools/sbe>

or scan this QR code



## CONTACT

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# Master of Business Administration

# MBA PROGRAM

## Prospectus

**Promoting three-way synergy among industry, academia and community**



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Independent University, Bangladesh**

## IUB MBA PROGRAM

### IUB AT A GLANCE

Established in the year 1993, Independent University, Bangladesh (IUB) is dedicated to the mission of promoting higher education and sustainable economic growth in the country through a sustainabled three-way relationship between industry, academia and the community.

### HIGHLIGHTS

The MBA Program is accredited by ACBSP. Faculty members teaching in the MBA program have Ph.D. from universities in North America, Australia, UK, etc.

### IUB CAMPUS

- Environment-friendly 3-acre campus
- 95 multimedia classrooms with free internet
- 4-storied library with around 30,000 printed books.
- Library users have access to over 2,50,000 e-books and 25,000 online journals from Cambridge Core, EBSCOhost, Emerald, JSTOR, National Geographic, Oxford Academics, ProjectMUSE, Springer Link and so on.
- Separate gymnasium for men and women with modern equipment
- Spacious sports complex
- The first ever trading lab at the university level in Bangladesh

### DURATION/TIME LIMITATION

Students may finish the MBA program in five (05) semesters if they take the maximum course load. If they receive waivers or course transfer facilities, it is possible to finish the program in three (03) semesters.

Each student is allowed up to five (05) years from the date of enrollment to complete their MBA.

### RESIDENCY REQUIREMENT

Students must complete at least 36 credit hours to obtain the MBA degree.

### REQUIREMENTS FOR DEGREE

In order to graduate, students must earn credit for 20 courses (60 credit hours) with a minimum CGPA of 2.75 on a 4.0 scale and meet the residency requirement of the MBA Program.

### COURSE WAIVER & CREDIT TRANSFERS

Students eligible for waiver and/or credit transfer may apply to the Graduate Program Office. Waiver is allowed only for the foundation courses, up to a maximum of 24 credits (8 courses). Credit transfer is possible for up to a maximum of 6 credits (with a CGPA of at least 2.50) and is allowed if the student meets the following conditions:

- The courses taken elsewhere were of undergraduate level (waiver) or graduate level (transfer)
- The courses were equivalent to IUB MBA courses
- The grades earned in those courses were at least B- (minus) or equivalent
- The Dean's Office/equivalent body at IUB, which may or may not ask the applicant to take a written or oral test or both, finds the application satisfactory.

All applications for credit transfer must be sent to the Graduate Program Office within 3 days of admission along with a non-refundable processing fee of BDT 150 for each credit applied for. Waiver and credit transfers will not be counted in CGPA calculation.

### CLASS TIMING

Classes start at 6:30 PM, from Sunday to Wednesday every week.

### PROBATION

Students are required to maintain a minimum CGPA of 2.5 throughout the academic period. If they fail to maintain it, they are placed on probation. If they fail to raise their CGPA to 2.5 or above within the next two semesters, they are dismissed from the program.

### FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

- 10% (ON TOP) IUB graduates discount
- 10% Non-IUB female discount
- 30% Spouse discount
- 30% Sibling discount
- 20-50% Merit discount (based on admission test/interview and undergraduate result/experience/research)
- 20-50% Merit discount (based on IUB semester results-upon completion of 12 credit hours)
- 20-50% Need based Financial Aid (returning students)
- 50/100% Discount for children of freedom fighters
- 20% (max.) Corporate discount
- Up to 50% Extra-curricular Activities
- Payment of fees in installments

### TUITION FEES (SUBJECT TO CHANGE)

Application Form (non-refundable)	1,000 Tk
Admission Fee (non-refundable)	20,000 Tk
Activity Fee (per semester)	4,000 Tk
Tuition per credit: TK. 6,000/- only (6,000/- x 60)	3,60,000 Tk
Grand Total (for five semesters)	4,01,000 Tk