

 **Columbia Business School**  
AT THE VERY CENTER OF BUSINESS™

**Full-Time MBA**





**"It's a special community. I've been helped by student associations, my learning team —even alumni volunteers on campus."**

**Ashley Allen | Class of 2019**  
*Co-President, Black Business Students Association*

# Welcome to where leaders are made.

Columbia Business School invests in the leaders of tomorrow by creating an environment rich in learning, collaboration and hands-on experiences. The MBA program is a transformational experience that will help you become the leader you want to be. All full-time MBA students start with core courses and can choose from a wide range of electives.

## Join a network you can always count on.

When you enroll at Columbia Business School, you join a student body of diverse individuals — a community that will support you long after your graduation ceremony.

- More than 500 speakers each year across various industries
- An alumni network made up of more than 47,000 leaders
- Over 100 clubs and student organizations

## On and off campus, everything you need is here.

Studying at the very center of business has its perks. When you embark upon the journey to realizing your goals, Columbia Business School provides you with a number of resources and access to the top influencers.

- 66 career fellows
- 45 alumni career coaches
- 25 executives in residence
- Coffee chats with alumni in the city
- In-semester internships

**47%**  
international

represented in the class entering 2018

**72**  
countries

**95%**  
students

receive job offers within 3 months of graduation





**“We’re not an isolated ivory tower. Our curriculum stresses a good balance of theory and practice. If our students can ace a class at Columbia Business School, they’re likely to be successful in the real world.”**

**Wei Jiang**

*Arthur F. Burns Professor of Free and Competitive Enterprise Vice Dean for Curriculum and Instruction*

# Global Opportunities

- 12 Global Immersion Programs (GIP)
- 11 Student-Led Study Tours
- 135 MBA students staffed by Pangea Advisors on more than 35 international projects
- Financial support provided by the Chazen Institute Travel Fund

**“The GIP gave me unparalleled access to some of South Korea’s most influential business figures. I feel more prepared than ever to graduate CBS as a global leader.”**

**Lindy Gould | Class of 2019**  
*Student Government Co-President*



## One MBA. Many ways to get it.

Columbia Business School offers multiple program formats to accommodate your needs, all with the same core courses and cluster community.

### Full-Time MBA

#### August Entry

- 20-month program
- Summer internships
- Ideal for big career switches

#### January Entry

- 16-month program
- Four consecutive semesters
- No summer internship
- Ideal for those in family business, entrepreneurs, and company-sponsored students

All of our full-time MBA students are able to take advantage of the in-semester internship opportunities in New York.

### Executive MBA (EMBA)

An Executive MBA is ideal for candidates who wish to continue working while studying for their MBA. There are multiple formats available, including: EMBA-New York Friday/Saturday, EMBA-New York Saturday, EMBA-Americas (modular week-long blocks), and EMBA-Global (partnerships with LBS and HKU).

### Deferred Enrollment Program

The Deferred Enrollment Program offers students the opportunity to apply to the full-time program while still in college; admitted students then gain between two to five years of career experience before matriculating at CBS.

**400+**  
startups

started by CBS students and alumni in the last 10 years

## Bring your ideas and we'll help turn them into a business.

Columbia Business School develops entrepreneurs at the very center of business, providing support to student startups far beyond the classroom experience.

- Programs and resources of the Eugene Lang Entrepreneurship Center
- Subsidized working space at Columbia Startup Lab upon graduation
- An unparalleled network of world-class leaders across industries
- The Lang Fund provides early-stage funding opportunities to qualifying student ventures
- The Tamer Fund for Social Ventures provides seed grants to Columbia University affiliated social and environmental ventures
- Access to a directory of startups and investors at [cbsstartups.com](https://cbsstartups.com)



**"The Columbia Business School connection has been great for my company. I've hired former classmates and have professors on my investment committee who have acted as advisors since I was a student."**

**Jon Stein | Class of 2009**  
Founder and CEO of Betterment

# We can't wait to hear from you.

Learn more about **Columbia Business School**, the application process, and register for events on our website:  
[www.gsb.columbia.edu](http://www.gsb.columbia.edu)

**Speak with an admissions counselor:**

Walk in M-F 9 a.m.-5 p.m.  
Uris Hall, Room 216  
3022 Broadway  
New York, NY 10027

**By phone at:**

+1-212-854-1961

**By email at:**

[apply@gsb.columbia.edu](mailto:apply@gsb.columbia.edu)

**Visit our campus where you'll find:**

- Weekly information sessions
- Student chats
- Class visits
- Special events



**“People here do everything they can to help you make your dreams come true. I wouldn’t be the person I am today without the access to resources and feedback I received at Columbia Business School.”**

**Carly Bigi | Class of 2017**  
Founder and CEO of Thread Counsel  
2017 Lang Fund Recipient