Executive MBA (EMBA) Program
Transforming high-potential managers into high-impact leaders.

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Greetings!

Thank you for your interest in our graduate business programs at the University of Connecticut School of Business. Ranked among the best in the world, UConn’s graduate programs offer you a progressive, comprehensive business education to enable you and other future business leaders to anticipate and effectively manage the many challenges encountered in today’s rapidly-changing world economy.

Guided by a commitment for global recognition as a provider of exceptional managerial education and business leadership, UConn’s graduate programs are carefully designed and developed with active involvement from our alumni and advisors in the business community. Our goal is to ensure that our graduates are fully prepared and competitively positioned for successful careers.

As you research and evaluate your options for advanced study, I encourage you to attend one of our infosessions, or to stop by one of our program offices for a personal visit. After you experience the School of Business and learn more about all we have to offer, I’m confident you’ll agree that UConn can provide you with a challenging, highly-differentiated, and affordably-priced business education that will provide the foundation for an exceptional future.

Sincerely,

John A. Elliott, Ph.D.
Dean & Auran J. Fox Chair in Business
Academic Excellence

UConn’s Executive MBA Program (EMBA) is designed for experienced managers, high-potential professionals, and entrepreneurs looking to build upon existing business skills and to develop new ones. We use a selective admissions process that brings together a broad group of highly qualified and motivated participants with significant professional experience.

Managerial Success
UConn’s EMBA provides participants with the opportunity to build their business acumen and enhance their leadership skills, empowering them to have an immediate impact on their organizations. UConn’s EMBA reflects the latest trends in management education, incorporating areas that are essential for managerial success.

Executive Format
The class format enables participants to retain their current professional positions while pursuing graduate studies. The 48-credit EMBA Program meets on scheduled weekends and intermittent Fridays throughout the 20-month program, which also includes an orientation day in August, an In-Residence weekend in September and an international study trip in June.
Experiential learning is an important part of the UConn EMBA, which strives to develop global managers and thought leaders. The international study course and trip enables participants to experience developing economies and rich cultural histories first-hand. This experience allows participants to gain a better understanding of how concepts and theories learned in the classroom are applied in the global arena.

In recent years, the UConn EMBA cohort has visited:

- Brazil
- Chile
- China
- Costa Rica
- Czech Republic
- Hong Kong
- South Africa
- Singapore
- Turkey

The 8-10 day international trip is scheduled in June after the first year of courses. Travel, lodging, and meals are included in the program fee.
Making the Investment

An EMBA remains one of the most solid investments you can make in yourself, and top companies understand this investment has positive impact on their bottom line. Our graduates have proven that they are valuable and committed employees, ready to transition from strong performers to high impact leaders. UConn EMBA graduates amass a greater strategic vision through new ideas and theories empowering them to achieve a higher level of performance while contributing to the growth of their organizations.

UConn EMBA students realize the value of their degree is more than a financial return on investment. Our students want to transform themselves in an increasingly competitive market.

Financing Your EMBA

Several options are available, including:

- Corporate Sponsorship
- Self-Funding
- Financial and Veteran’s Aid

“[UConn’s EMBA Program] has been much more than an educational experience. It has also been a leadership training and personal and professional development experience.”

- EMBA Student
  Class of 2016
Hartford, Connecticut

Part of the UConn Hartford campus, classes are held at UConn’s Graduate Business Learning Center (GBLC), located in the heart of downtown Hartford at 100 Constitution Plaza.

Conveniently situated at the intersection of I-91 and I-84, the GBLC offers the latest in design, technology and comfort, including fully networked classrooms, break-out rooms, technology labs, and meeting spaces. Secure parking is available in the attached garage.

A Tradition of Excellence

Founded in 1941, the UConn School of Business has evolved into one of the most comprehensive business schools in the nation. Continuously accredited by AACSB International since 1958, the UConn business school also ranks among the top 5% of business schools worldwide and is considered one of the best in the Northeast.
Quick Facts

Length  48 credits
        (20 months)

Who attends the UConn Executive MBA Program?
UConn’s EMBA is designed for experienced managers, high potential professionals, and entrepreneurs looking to build upon existing business skills and to develop new ones. Participants have substantial work experience and come from diverse backgrounds both in terms of function and industry.

Academic Credentials
Applicants should have an undergraduate degree as well as substantial work experience. Though not required, all applicants are encouraged to submit either GMAT or GRE scores. In addition to test scores and GPA, the Admissions Committee also considers a prospective student’s background, work experience, and compatibility with the cohort.

Application

grad.business.uconn.edu/apply

Application Materials:
• Online Application
• Essays
• Two Letters of Recommendation
• Resume
• Interview
• Official Transcripts
• $75 Application Fee
• GMAT score preferred

Program Fees
The $78,000 (2016-2017) program fee includes:
• Parking
• All University fees
• All textbooks and materials
• A laptop computer and all course-relevant software
• Accommodations and meals during In-Residence program
• Transportation, accommodations and meals during the International trip in June
• Breakfast, lunch and coffee breaks during class days
• Workshops, seminars and events
• A range of administrative services and special functions