

RETHINKING THE BOUNDARIES

THE DUKE MBA—CROSS CONTINENT



THE
WORLD
IS THE
BEST
PLACE TO
LEARN.



PROGRAM OVERVIEW

The Duke MBA—Cross Continent program draws from the same faculty, applies the same rigorous grading standards, and provides the same degree as all Duke MBA programs. However, you will attend eight weeks of residential sessions, with distance learning periods between the residencies, throughout the 17-month program—a format that allows you to live and work anywhere in the world. The program begins with the first two-week residency (includes orientation) at Duke University's Durham, NC, campus, followed by eight- to nine-day sessions in locations around the world, and concludes with a two-week residency of electives in Durham. All residencies are mandatory.

For each term, you will travel to your residency for intense, face-to-face interactions with Duke faculty and your classmates. This residency period is then followed by seven to 10 weeks of distance education that involves virtual classes and collaborative learning with a globally dispersed team.

After the initial Durham residency, your class will travel through global locations for residencies that expose you to four distinct global economies, and then back to the U.S. At the mid-point of the program, you will change teams, which builds a stronger network throughout your academic experience.

Over six terms, you will complete 10 courses that span all functional areas of business and four elective courses that allow you to sharpen your skills in a particular discipline or broaden your knowledge of several functional areas. You will also have the option to customize your MBA with a concentration in Energy and the Environment, Entrepreneurship and Innovation, Strategy, Finance, or Marketing; or a certificate in Health Sector Management (additional fees apply).

Additionally, multi-term courses, focused on the role of global markets and institutions and the nuances of leadership, culture, and civilization, will span terms one through five. In these courses, assignments may take you out of the classroom in order to gain real-world cultural experience and tools to process the experience against your own cultural profile. As a result, you develop a framework that will enable you to be successful anywhere in the world. These classes demonstrate how region-specific institutions, markets, cultures, and civilizations shape the flow of international commerce.



Term-at-a-Glance

The Cross Continent program provides a unique experience for students—allowing you to live anywhere in the world, retain your job, and attend residencies in cities around the world. By the time you complete the program, you will have studied in five locations.

Sample Term 4 – New Delhi

10 days	Term begins with a Reading Period from your location anywhere in the world.
10 days	Immersive residency in New Delhi studying Strategy and Finance, for example, learning how India's religiously-tolerant yet strong caste-based society influences commerce, and meeting the leaders of India's largest specialty hospital chain.
7 weeks	Distance learning during which you'll continue coursework from anywhere in the world through online classroom sessions, team projects, individual assignments, and exams.
7 days	Break before continuing to next term.

*** Residency locations and program information subject to change.*

A TYPICAL CLASS REPRESENTATION

Class Size: 115

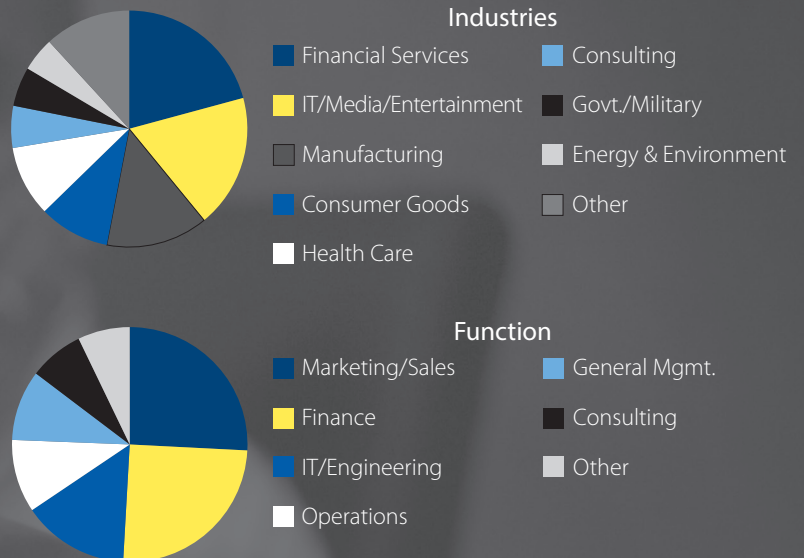
Average Age: 30

Average Work Experience: 7 years

Minimum Work Experience: 3 years

Women: 29%

International Citizenship: 30%, representing more than 28 countries (includes dual citizens)



“The flexible format of the Cross Continent program allowed me to pursue my MBA while managing my business from halfway across the globe. It also provided a real-life simulation of a truly global team and I left the program with wonderful friends, colleagues, and contacts around the world.”

Ali Nabee, Alumnus
Dubai, United Arab Emirates

APPLICATION DEADLINES

It is to your advantage to apply early to give yourself the longest possible time to prepare both academically and professionally.* Typically, you will receive a decision within two to four weeks after your application is successfully completed.

Prior to applying, we encourage you to contact an admissions counselor (CrossContinent-MBA-info@fuqua.duke.edu) to give you feedback on your work experience and academic background and guide you through the admissions process.

Application deadlines for the Class of 2018

(beginning July 2017):

October 12, 2016

December 7, 2016

February 7, 2017

March 20, 2017

May 3, 2017

May 31, 2017

Apply online at www.fuqua.duke.edu.

* Please note: all international students should apply by May 3, 2017, to ensure sufficient time for visa processing.

DEVELOP GLOBAL INSIGHT

The Duke MBA—Cross Continent program is designed to help full-time working professionals earn a world-class MBA while building a culturally diverse peer network across the globe.

- Live and work anywhere you choose while studying in economically important regions of the world
- Learn in an environment where regional economic diversity and cross-cultural communication are part of both the curriculum and the setting
- Expand your career possibilities while building valuable experience at work
- Learn from our leading business practitioners and renowned faculty through a carefully crafted curriculum
- Understand the drivers of world economies and markets
- Master business frameworks and tools to address the world's interdependencies
- Prepare to lead a global enterprise

This program provides access to a range of diverse classmates, companies, industries, and partners—a unique professional network not offered by any other MBA program. With five locations around the world, The Duke MBA—Cross Continent program builds more than global awareness; it provides the real-world experience necessary to create global competence.

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