



Doctor of Business Administration (DBA) Degree

Apollo^s University offers the Doctor of Business Administration (DBA) professional program online. The program is designed for learners with a master's degree in business or a related field. It provides the business professional with an advanced knowledge and the necessary skills and research abilities that can be applied immediately in the learner's field of interest. The curriculum is designed to enable learners to develop an advanced appreciation and knowledge of the tools and processes needed to succeed as corporate leaders within the global business arena. Offered online, the program makes extensive use of business research, case studies, and real-world business situations. The program allows the learners to build upon their established professional backgrounds and demonstrate their knowledge of the intellectual and theoretical foundations of management.

The following 61 credits are required for the DBA program:

Core Courses (46 Credits)

- ADM 8000 – Doctoral Level Success (1 Credits)
- ADM 8001 – Mid Program Qualifying Examination (0 Credits)
- ADM 8002 – Comprehensive Examination (0 Credits)
- BUS 8300 – Corporate Accounting & Financial Management (3 Credits)
- BUS 8310 – Survey of Global Business Opportunities and Issues (3 Credits)
- BUS 8330 – Ethical Leadership (3 Credits)
- BUS 8340 – Corporate Strategic Planning (3 Credits)
- BUS 8350 – Supply Chain Management Design and Operations (3 Credits)
- BUS 8360 – Marketing Strategy and Practice (3 Credits)
- BUS 8371 – Leadership: Theories and Concepts (3 Credits)
- BUS 8381 – International Financial Management (3 Credits)
- BUS 8390 – Project Management (3 Credits)
- BUS 9300 – Topics in Human Resource Management (3 Credits)
- BUS 9310 – Organizational and Group Dynamics (3 Credits)
- CIS 9300 – Computers and Internet Applications and Management (3 Credits)
- HIS 8320 – Survey of American Business and its Leaders (3 Credits)
- RES 9311 – Fundamentals of Business Research (3 Credits)
- RES 9312 – Advanced Study in Research Methods (3 Credits)

Doctoral Research Seminars (6 Credits)

- DOC 8001 – Doctoral Research Seminar I APA Workshop (1.5 Credits)
- DOC 8002 – Doctoral Research Seminar II Research Methodology Overview (1.5 Credits)
- DOC 8003 – Doctoral Research Seminar III Doctoral Plan (Proposal) (1.5 Credits)
- DOC 8004 – Doctoral Research Seminar IV Doctoral Plan (Research) (1.5 Credits)

Doctoral Dissertation Project (9 Credits)

- RES 9350 – Doctoral Dissertation Project I (3 Credits)
- RES 9360 – Doctoral Dissertation Project II (3 Credits)
- RES 9370 – Doctoral Dissertation Project III (3 Credits)



Apollo^s University (Apollo^s) is an accredited member of the Distance Education Accrediting Commission (DEAC). The DEAC is recognized by the U.S. Department of Education (USDE) and the Council for Higher Education Accreditation (CHEA).

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ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

- Possess a master's degree awarded by an Institution accredited by agencies that are recognized by the United States Secretary of Education and/or the Council for Higher Education Accreditation (CHEA) or, for non-U.S. Institutions, an accepted foreign equivalent that is listed in the International Handbook of Universities.
- Master's grade point average of at least B (on a 4.0 scale) or its equivalent.
- Doctorate level courses with grade of B or higher (on a 4.0 scale) from an Institution as defined above can be considered for transfer. A maximum of 9 credits can be transferred into the master's level program.
- Résumé or Curriculum Vitae (CV)
- Successfully complete the AU Orientation Program Class

INTERNATIONAL APPLICANTS

Doctoral Degree Programs: Applicants whose native language is not English and who have not earned a degree from an appropriately accredited institution where English is the principal language of instruction must demonstrate college-level proficiency in English through one of the following:

- **Doctoral Degree:** a minimum score of 550 on the paper-based Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL PBT), or 80 on the Internet Based Test (iBT), or a 6.5 on the International English Language Test (IELTS);
- A minimum grade of Level 3 on the ACT COMPASS's English as a Second Language Placement Test;
- A minimum grade of Pre-1 on the Eiken English Proficiency Exam;
- A minimum B1 English proficiency level identified within the Common European Framework of Reference (CEFR) standards and assessed through various ESOL examinations, including the University of Cambridge;
- A transcript indicating completion of at least 30 semester hours of credit with an average grade of "B" or higher at an appropriately accredited/recognized accredited college or university where the language of instruction was English



Benefits of Apollo University's DBA Program

- Affordable program allowing you to graduate without excessive student loans to repay
- Attend class when it is convenient for you and not on a regimented time schedule
- Highly qualified and approved professors
- Classes are taught online using the latest technology
- Textbooks are provided to the student via the Apollo University Book Grant with no additional cost to the student



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