

# Business

Graduate Business Programs



**WHEELING JESUIT UNIVERSITY**

CENTER FOR PROFESSIONAL AND GRADUATE STUDIES

# The Graduate Business Programs at Wheeling Jesuit University

## **MBA - MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION**

The ultimate objective of the Wheeling Jesuit University MBA Program is to help students develop the capacity to make and implement successful leadership decisions in an increasingly complex and fast-changing business environment. Each class meets one night per week, enabling both part-time and full-time study.

## **MSA - MASTER OF SCIENCE IN ACCOUNTANCY**

The Wheeling Jesuit University MSA Program is a professional non-thesis program designed for individuals who have attained an undergraduate degree in accounting. The program is also for those who need to complete the 150-hour education requirement in order to sit for the CPA exam. Each class meets one night per week, enabling both part-time and full-time study.

## **THE CURRICULUM**

The curriculum includes case studies and analytical exercises. Because these are non-thesis programs, presentations and projects are a major component of the programs. Writing proficiency and presentation skills are enhanced by the format of the Graduate Business Programs at Wheeling Jesuit University.

The MBA curriculum consists of ten core courses, two elective courses and up to four foundation courses. Some or all of the foundation courses may be waived in recognition of prior business education or significant business experience. Without the foundation courses, a student must complete 36 credit hours (12 courses) to earn an MBA. Courses include Organizational Behavior, Marketing Management, Managerial Economics, Operations Management and Leadership Skills.

The MSA curriculum consists of eight required courses and two elective courses. The program requires 30 semester hours to complete, assuming undergraduate requirements have been met. Courses include Managerial Economics, Auditing and Professional Auditing Standards, Controllship, Advanced Tax Accounting, Accounting Professional and its Environments, and Law for Accountants.



## About Us

The Wheeling Jesuit University Graduate Business Programs are accredited by the Association of Collegiate Business Schools and Programs (ACBSP). This distinction is in addition to the University-wide accreditation by the Higher Learning Commission of the North Central Association of Colleges and Schools. The Graduate Business Programs have met the high standards of ACBSP in order to ensure that our curricula, faculty, facilities and internal evaluation processes meet or exceed recognized national standards.

Business programs have been a part of Wheeling Jesuit University since the college was founded, granting more than 1,200 undergraduate degrees in various business disciplines. Our MBA Program is the area's most established, having granted over 700 graduate business degrees. A principled approach to ethical decision making is emphasized throughout the curriculum. At Wheeling Jesuit, we produce capable, ethical and successful business leaders who impact people, organizations and communities. Our graduates possess strong interpersonal skills and a clear understanding of the changing business landscape.

## Admission Requirements

Admission to the MBA Program is open to qualified graduates of colleges or universities accredited by a regional or general accrediting agency, or by a comparable agency in another country. In general, an undergraduate GPA of 2.80 and a Graduate Management Admissions Test (GMAT) score of 490 are required.

Admission to the MSA Program is contingent upon an overall GPA of 2.80. The GMAT is not required.



## How Can I Get Started?

+ Contact an admissions counselor:

1-800-873-7665  
304-243-2250  
Fax: 304-243-4441  
[www.wju.edu](http://www.wju.edu)  
[adulsted@wju.edu](mailto:adulsted@wju.edu)

- + Complete an application online at [www.wju.edu](http://www.wju.edu)
- + Request official transcripts from all colleges and universities attended
- + Obtain three references (forms provided by the University)
- + Submit a professional resumé
- + Have transcripts, references and resumé sent to:  
**Wheeling Jesuit University**  
**Center for Professional and Graduate Studies**  
316 Washington Avenue  
Wheeling, WV 26003
- + Consider financial aid options carefully and promptly.  
A Free Application for Federal Student Aid form (FAFSA) may be completed online at [www.fafsa.edu.gov](http://www.fafsa.edu.gov)
- + Take the Graduate Management Admissions Test (GMAT) and have scores sent to the University (MBA applicants only)
- + Students may be permitted to enroll for one semester before submitting GMAT scores