

Berlin Full-Time MBA

Degree	Master of Business Administration
Type of study	full-time
Standard period of study	15 months
Programme start	October
Credits (ECTS)	90
Language of instruction	English
Number of places	25
Admission requirements	Completed university degree, three years post-graduate work experience, very good knowledge of English, GMAT is strongly recommended for Non-EU applicants
Application period	from 1 December
Tuition fees	19.900 Euro
Accredited by	AMBA and FIBAA
HWR Campus	Schöneberg



You have questions about the programme? Feel free to contact us.

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The Berlin MBA is one of Germany's top MBA programmes for young international professionals, taught in Europe's main startup hub and embedded into a dynamic business environment. Are you an ambitious leader, dedicated to developing your business and leadership skills? Would you like to integrate into a vibrant community? Then this full-time MBA in Berlin, Germany is for you.

This English MBA programme at the Berlin Professional School offers you:

- Profound and practical knowledge of all management disciplines as well as the cross-disciplinary topics of digitalization, sustainability and consulting
- The option to focus on your individual interests via elective modules. You will be empowered to pursue your desired career goals
- A dedicated Career Service and a strong BPS Community
- A prestigious degree from an AMBA-accredited university

Programme Structure

The Berlin Full-Time MBA programme is taught in English, the lingua franca of the business world. It begins in September, running full-time over 15 months. The programme has a modular structure and is divided into three intensive phases:

- Phase 1: In core modules, you acquire fundamental management, consulting and leadership skills. You are introduced to the German and Berliner business environment and work on practical business challenges.
- Phase 2: Capstone courses integrate the acquired know-how. Electives enable you to specialise in up-to-date business topics like Digital Business & Technology Management, Sustainable Finance or Entrepreneurship and Design Thinking.
- Phase 3: You will undertake a master thesis as a Company Project with a clear-cut application, polishing your expertise.

Throughout the programme you will develop your leadership personality and your career options.

Programme Content

The Berlin MBA immerses you in theory and practice. The key modules let you systematically tackle all areas within a company, as well as its external interfaces. You will learn to think and act flexibly, like a real entrepreneur or consultant, focusing on practical solutions. Our lecturers, business partners and your peers will push you to take on dynamic challenges, as well as teach you agility in the digital age.



Developing your Leadership Personality

Personal, communication and social skills are enhanced during the leadership personality seminars. Depending on your needs and interests, you can choose from a range of different professionally-relevant methodological and social skills, e.g. presentation techniques, teambuilding, time and self-management, negotiating across cultures and assertiveness.



Module: Doing Business in Germany

In this module, which runs during the first two phases of studies, students get acquainted with the German business environment. They learn about German industry structure and visit entrepreneurial ecosystems and startups in Berlin and Southern Germany. Students as well as companies benefit from networking and collaborating on small, common initiatives. Our cooperation partners include Berlin Partner GmbH, Chamber of Commerce and Werner-von-Siemens Centre for Industry and Science.



Topics of our time

We put emphasis on the decisive topics of today's business world: digitalization, sustainable management, entrepreneurship and innovation. In times of New Work we want you to become agile entrepreneurs, professional consultants and responsible leaders.



Practice-oriented studies

The interactive, activity-based teaching of the Berlin MBA consciously incorporates the diverse professional experience of the students. Our lecturers have rich experience and are proven experts in their fields. Corporate and entrepreneurial projects, case studies and use cases, applied project and group work, business simulations plus presentations from leaders of select enterprises all form integral course components. The perfect combination of theory and practice.

Admission Requirements

- Completed university degree
- Three years post-graduate work experience
- Very good knowledge of English (minimum scores - TOEFL: cbt 213 points or ibt 79 points; IELTS: 6.5 points)
- GMAT is strongly recommended for Non-EU applicants

Application

Each year, applications are accepted from 1 December. We recommend applying early as admissions are made on a rolling basis depending on suitability. 25 places are assigned annually for the programme start in September.

If you meet the entry requirements and are interested in applying for the Berlin Full-Time MBA please use our online application tool: [HWR Online Application Tool](#). You will be asked to upload the following documents during the application process:

- Copy of your undergraduate university degree and transcript of records
- Proof of work experience (e.g. job confirmation)
- Letter of motivation, including your professional goals
- Certificate of English language skills (e.g. TOEFL certificates)
- Curriculum vitae
- Copy of your passport or ID

Please submit formally certified copies only. Certificates and other documents which are neither in English nor in German must be translated into one of these languages. Translations must be formally certified and attached to the documents.

If you are applying from a non-European country, you will need to allow for the time to have your visa processed (approx. 4-6 months).

Tuition fees

The tuition fees for the Berlin Full-Time MBA is 19 900 Euro. This include:

- All study costs, from matriculation to modules and teaching materials, right through to exam charges
- Leadership & Management Skills Seminars
- Excursions and Study Visit according to the study plan for the Berlin Full-Time MBA
- Welcome Service for international students
- Participation in German courses (not compulsory)
- Career Service and Events

Tuition fee can be paid in installments, which you can view in the schedule of fees. We would be happy to advise you personally!

As the programme has been approved as a course of further education in accordance of the Berlin Law of Higher Education, tuition fees are normally tax deductible.

Career Service

On graduating from BPS, you're drawing a new hand of cards for your career. Yet we understand that questions about reorientation, career strategies and development are almost as important as the study programme itself.

We offer you Career Consulting, Application Training, CV-Check, Graduates Talks, Company Visits and Presentations.

Alumni

Over 5 100 alumni from more than 30 nations, and another 200 students joining annually. That is the worldwide Berlin Professional School alumni network, consisting of specialists from infinite industries and companies. As part of this international community, you will gain access to BPS alumni groups on XING and LinkedIn.

You will also automatically receive invitations to BPS alumni events including our homecoming event or the X-Mas Punch.