

POSTGRADUATE DIPLOMA IN BUSINESS & MANAGEMENT

IFG's wide ranging postgraduate diploma is designed for students wishing to take a master's in business related subjects at UK universities.



This programme meets the entry requirements of the University of Gloucestershire for the final part of its MBA. Therefore, our course takes you two thirds of the way to a full Gloucestershire MBA as students need only complete the final 60 master's credits with a dissertation, which can either be completed at the university or on an online basis.

Alternatively, students can progress to full master's courses at a range of other UK universities.

The course is wide ranging with a strong practical element helping to develop postgraduate research skills and further their knowledge and understanding of different aspects of management such as marketing, human resource strategy and financial management. There is also a module on entrepreneurship preparing students for their dream of starting and running their own businesses.

You will benefit from small class sizes in which tutors have the opportunity of helping each student on an individual basis. You will also be encouraged to apply the new information you learn to real life business situations, enhancing your career prospects and, for those already in employment, applying what you learn to your day to day work and thereby increasing your chances of promotion.

The course is taught at IFG centres on a full time basis over six to nine months. For those with work commitments, it is also taught in our virtual online classroom in evenings and at weekends.

Course structure

Mandatory modules

- Strategic Management and Leadership
- People in Organisations
- Strategic Marketing Management
- Entrepreneurship
- Financial Management
- Business Research Methods

Length of Programme

6 – 9 months

Electives modules

- Risk Management
- Project Management
- Human Resource Management
- Sustainability & Ethical Leadership

Entry Requirements:

Students will normally have successfully completed a degree. Some diplomas at higher education level might also meet the entry requirements plus an English language level equivalent to 5.5 in IELTS with minimum of 5.0 in reading and writing. For students who do not have this level of English, Pre-Sessional courses are available.