Global Financial Management, DBA

To accelerate China's pace of global integration, the W. P. Carey School of Business and Shanghai Advanced Institute of Finance offer a DBA in global financial management program in China. Senior corporate and government leaders who emerge from this program are prepared to transform China's economic structure and financial markets, leading the future of transformative change.

Program Description

Degree Awarded: DBA Global Financial Management

China is globalizing at an astonishing rate. This pace of change is profoundly affecting not only China's domestic situation, but also the global economy.

The DBA in global financial management is an applied professional doctorate designed for senior corporate leaders and government officials in China seeking a terminal degree alternative to the traditional PhD intended for those pursing an academic career. The leaders emerging from this program are prepared to transform China's economic structure, its financial markets and shape the future of China's leadership roles in the global economy of the 21st-century.

All such initiatives depend on the development of human capital, for it is the catalyst for all. Hence, the Doctor of Business Administration program is designed to sustain and amplify leaders who aspire to affect transformative changes in this exciting and dynamic global environment.

At a Glance

- **College/School:** [W. P. Carey School of Business](#)
- **Location:** [Tempe campus](#)
Degree Requirements

84 credit hours, a written comprehensive exam, an oral comprehensive exam, a prospectus and a dissertation

Required Core (12 credit hours)
DBA 702 Global Financial Systems: Markets and Institutions (3)
DBA 703 Global Financial Systems-Institutional Investing (3)
DBA 705 Global Corporate Strategy (3)
DBA 708 Challenges of Corporate Finance and Governance (3)

Electives (21 credit hours)

Research (9 credit hours)

Culminating Experience (12 credit hours)
DBA 799 Dissertation (12)

Additional Curriculum Information
Thirty credit hours from a previously awarded master's degree may be applied to this degree.

Admission Requirements

Applicants must fulfill the requirements of both the Graduate College and the W. P. Carey School of Business.

Applicants are eligible to apply to the program if they have earned from a regionally accredited college or university of recognized standing a degree in Master of Business Administration, Master of Economics, Master of Finance, Master of Accountancy or a related field of specialization in business.

Applicants must have a minimum cumulative GPA of 3.00 (scale is 4.00 = "A") in the last 60 hours of their bachelor's degree program, or applicants must have a minimum cumulative GPA of 3.00 (scale is 4.00 = "A") in an applicable master's degree program.

Additional Application Information
Proficiency in English is not required.

Official bachelor's and master's degree transcripts should be submitted listing all coursework in both the native language and official English translation.

This degree is offered in China only. All applicants are required to contact the program coordinator before submitting the online graduate admission application.
Career Opportunities

The Doctor of Business Administration program in global financial management includes the essential academic preparation for students who are interested in pursuing professional careers leading within organizations in diverse functions such as human resources, finance or marketing.

Career examples include:

- CEO
- finance manager
- marketing manager
- supply chain manager

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