



# INSIDER'S GUIDE: FOR IVEY HBAS ONLY



# **ACHIEVE MORE THAN YOU** DREAMED. **LESS TIME** IMAGINED.

Your HBA degree is your ticket to a full Ivey MBA in only eight short months with Ivey's Accelerated MBA for Ivey HBA Graduates Program. With your HBA experience, you are exempt from the first four months of the full MBA program. The others start in March, while you come on-board in July. At the end of your eight months, you'll graduate with the same MBA degree as the full-year MBA class.

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### TAKE **CHARGE OF** YOUR CAREER. AND HAVE FUN DOING IT.

Your HBA degree means you already know your way around the Ivey classroom and our Case-Method of Learning, so your time here will be exceptionally fulfilling and enjoyable. You'll experience the case discussion through the filter of your own work experience, and with the added perspective of your diverse MBA classmates. Starting the moment you arrive back, you will see how rich, rewarding and enjoyable Ivey's MBA experience can be. You will develop a whole new network of successful and experienced professionals, and have the opportunity to take advantage of the deeply personalized MBA Career Management coaching ranked top 11 globally by The Economist.\* With a 89-per-cent placement rate and the ability to make significant professional transition, the career you love is just ahead.

### **INVEST IN YOUR GREATEST ASSET:** YOU.

This is an opportunity to invest in yourself – not just for your next job, but for your future. Receive a full MBA degree in eight months, without writing the GMAT, and have fun doing it. Now is the time, so re-connect with us, ask your questions, and discover just how much more is out there for you.

"I couldn't believe how much I was able to learn in eight months. Having embraced the opportunity to invest in myself, I re-entered the workforce better equipped and saw my career opportunities accelerate." - Media Alimorad



# ACCELERATED MBA FOR IVEY HBA **GRADUATES AND** YOUR CAREER

Let's set the record straight. The AMBA for HBA Graduates Program is designed just for graduates of the Ivey HBA Program and gives you a full MBA degree in just eight months. You get credit for the work you've done as an HBA, with no repetition or duplication, and no GMAT.

### Why should I come back for an Ivey MBA?

Complementing your HBA with an Ivey MBA is a career-changing move and a combination that is much sought after in market. HBA students who have completed their MBA at Ivey boast excellent placement rates (89 per cent), and exceptional career transitions (90 per cent).

### How will it benefit my career?

Ivey's AMBA for HBA Graduates Program can boost your career trajectory – either in your current industry or in something brand new. In less than one year, your career can be on the path of your dreams. While earning your MBA, you will take charge of your career, grow your network, and gain international experience. The AMBA for HBA Graduates Program gives you the full power of an Ivev MBA, with the convenience of a shorter completion time.

### How does the MBA classroom compare to my HBA experience?

As an HBA graduate, you already know the dynamic learning experience of the lvey classroom. Now, with highly motivated and seasoned classmates who have broader and more extensive work experience, the discussions will be that much richer, and the learning more rewarding. Why? Because we interview every student to ensure a classroom that is a diverse mix of experience, gender, and nationality.

This small, finely-tuned class size means you'll know each individual by name, and build a lifelong network of colleagues and friends. It's no wonder Bloomberg Businessweek ranks Ivey the #1 MBA program in Canada.†

### Can I tailor my MBA Program to meet my career goals?

Electives can be tailored to your career focus and interests. A transformational study trip to Costa Rica, Portugal or Silicon Valley will enrich your personal and business experiences. The smaller MBA class will open up a global network of ideas and opportunities that weren't available to you in HBA, and create a lifetime of connections that will help build and sustain your career – wherever it takes you.

### When is the right time to start?

While there never seems to be a perfect time to start an MBA, right now is the time to investigate what an Ivey MBA can add to your career. It's not about your next job, it's an investment in your future earnings potential, career opportunities and an extended professional network.

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"You quickly realize what a profound difference more

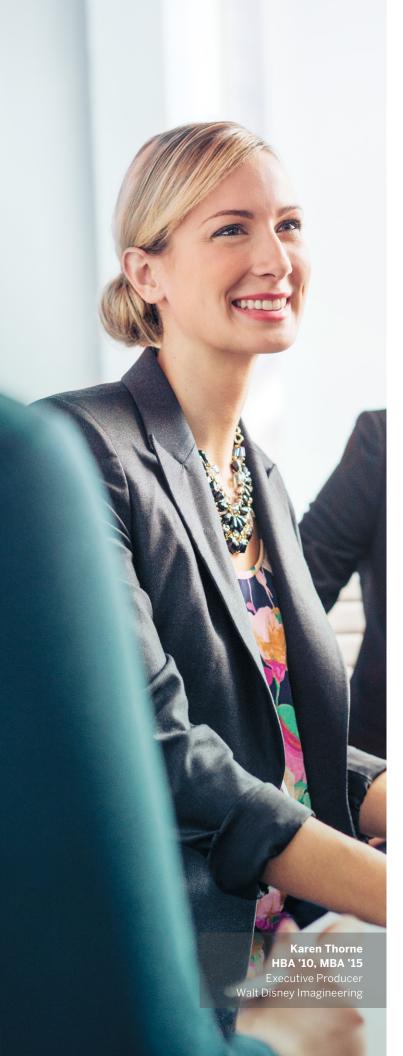
extensive work experience brings to the classroom. As

an Ivey HBA graduate, the setting was familiar but the

discussion and network were deeper. Without a doubt, this

experience helped me get to where I am today." - Karim Mashnuk





# CAREER MANAGEMENT

Career Management is a central part of the Ivey MBA and is integrated throughout the program. Classroom activities are combined with innovative experiences like our alumni networking event, **Get Connected.** Our Career Advisors partner with you from day one through to graduation.

## **CAREER OUTCOMES: LOVE AMBA GRADUATES**

of those seeking employment who received at least one job offer within three months of graduation, based on a 98-per-cent reporting rate.

of Ivey grads who accepted an offer and made at least one career transition (change in industry, function, and/or geography).

# SOURCE OF OFFER': **SCHOOL FACILITATED** (55%)

Career Management Posting	45%
Networking (with Alumni and Corporate Partners)	10%

Networking (outside School) 17% Company Websites, External 14% Job Boards/LinkedIn

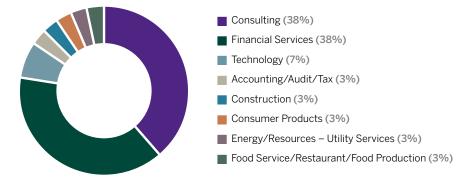
SOURCE OF OFFER':

**GRADUATE** 

(31%)

**FACILITATED** 

### **INDUSTRY OF ACCEPTED EMPLOYMENT**



### **FUNCTION OF ACCEPTED EMPLOYMENT**



<sup>\*</sup>Unknown: 14%



# THE EIGHTMONTH MBA JOURNEY FOR IVEY HBAs

"I loved being able to customize my MBA experience through electives and the international study trip. Career Management was actively involved every step of the way and helped me achieve my career goals."

 Alysha Murji, MBA '18, HBA '14, CPA, CA Director, Beauty Industry Group

JULY

# MASTER THE ESSENTIALS

A series of Master's level business courses ensures a depth of understanding and familiarity with any new aspects of business fundamentals.

SEPTEMBER

# CUSTOMIZE YOUR EXPERIENCE

Join the full MBA class and select from a series of advanced business elective courses and rich international experiences. You will have the opportunity to join an international study trip to Costa Rica, Portugal or Silicon Valley, and have the option to participate in an international study exchange. You will put your learning to the test with the **Ivey Innovation Field Project**, where you will experience the real challenges that entrepreneurs face as they lead change.

And you will have the opportunity to choose from any of Ivey's progressive masters courses ranging all the way from new venture creation to corporate reporting, from sustainable finance to the business of health, and from transformational leadership to derivatives and risk management.

MARCH

# LEARN LIKE AN EXECUTIVE

Bring it all together in this capstone module, where all that you have learned is connected into a real-world executive leadership challenge. You will examine and assess great leaders, determine how great leaders are developed and then face the major forces and issues that affect businesses today, as an executive.

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