

JURIS DOCTOR/MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION CONCURRENT DEGREES

Degree Requirements

Boot Camps and Workshops

Mandatory preparatory boot camps and workshops help develop the necessary skills to succeed in the Asper MBA program and in the business world. The Asper School of Business MBA has three regularly offered pass/fail auxiliary courses (X):

- SCM 5110 (Math Boot Camp) – online number crunching primer (challenge exam option available).
- MIS 5120 (Information Technology Boot Camp) – online course that provides you with the basics of common productivity software packages used in the business world, with particular focus on Excel (challenge exam option available).
- IDM 5120 – develop the “soft skills” you need to advance your career, such as business etiquette, networking, resume-building and behaviour-based interview skills.

Program Core

The Program Core consists of 30 credit hours of business fundamentals and strategy, and a foundation in leadership, decision-making methods, and contemporary themes that inform decisions in today's business world.

Course	Title	Hours
GMGT 7200	Critical and Creative Thinking	1.5
ACC 7010	Accounting Fundamentals	3
FIN 7000	Managerial Economics	1.5
FIN 7020	Corporate Finance	3
GMGT 7220	Managing People in Organizations	3
SCM 7120	Operations and Supply Chain Management	3
MKT 7010	Marketing Management	3
ACC 7020	Managerial Accounting	1.5
MIS 7120	Management Information Systems	1.5
GMGT 7210	Strategy	3

Business Foundations

The Strategy Capstone Course, to be taken in the last term of the program, provides a holistic perspective on managing an organization or business by integrating all the functional areas and themes explored in the Program Core.

Leadership

Course	Title	Hours
IDM 7000	Leadership and Practical Ethics	1.5
IDM 7002	Executive Leadership and Responsibilities- the CEO Course	1.5
IDM 7510	Strategic Leadership and Managing Change	1.5

Business Themes

Course	Title	Hours
IDM 7130	Contemporary Themes in Business	1.5

Contemporary Themes in Business focuses on three themes: International and Emerging Markets, Sustainability, and Entrepreneurship and Innovation. These themes also inform the two Leadership courses and the Strategy Capstone Course. Together, they prepare you for the realities of business – and give you a distinct advantage in today's competitive job market.

Students completing the JD and MBA degrees concurrently will complete 53 credit hours of Law core courses, 30 credit hours of MBA core courses, 30 credit hours of Law electives and 18 credit hours of MBA electives, for a total of 131 credit hours. Please refer to the JD degree requirements for a list of Law core courses and Law electives here (<https://catalog.umanitoba.ca/undergraduate-studies/law/concurrent-jd-mba/#degreerequirementstext>).

For the purposes of the MBA degree, they will complete 48 credits in the MBA and 12 credit hours of their electives from Law (see below).

The following courses have been specifically approved for students concurrently completing the JD/MBA programs for MBA elective credit and are only available to MBA students who are concurrently completing the JD/MBA. Students concurrently completing the JD/MBA are permitted to take courses in Law at the 2000/3000 level toward the MBA requirements.

Faculty of Law:

LAW 3014 International Trade Law
LAW 3980 Current Legal Problems B*
LAW 3510 Corporate Tax
LAW 3770 Labour Management
LAW 3026 Trademarks and Patents
LAW 3028 Copyright
LAW 3980 Tainted Finance
LAW 3050 Commercial Law
LAW 3392 Securities Law
LAW 3330 Employment Law
LAW 3022 Insurance Law

*LAW 3980 may be completed two times for credit when it is taught as “Bankruptcy and Insolvency” or as “Tainted Finance”.