





Best value among top MBA programs

**Accelerated format** 

Real-world, hands-on business experience

**Small group learning** 

Responsive, engaging faculty

the AUGSBURG

MBA

A degree. And so much more.

## You want more from your MBA

The Augsburg MBA offers the best value among top MBA programs an affordable, established option for students who want to advance personally and professionally.

At Augsburg you'll learn from experienced faculty who are industry experts and who maintain strong connections to the business community. They bring academic credentials and professional experience to the classroom to help students develop in their careers.

Complete the Augsburg MBA in less than two years together with 15-20 students in your cohort. In this supportive learning community, you'll build relationships that will help you withstand the challenges of managing work, family, and school. And you will form a network of colleagues that will last throughout your career.



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I just clicked with the other students in my cohort.
If I were building a dream team staff, I would
definitely bring them on.

CHAD LEONARD '10







## Real-world business experience

## The Augsburg MBA Management Consulting Project

Acquire real-world experience as a consultant for local organizations including large, mid-sized, and small businesses, churches, non-profits, and charitable organizations. You'll work as a team with students in your cohort and a faculty supervisor for 4-6 months and present the final project to your client.

## **International Study**

Augsburg MBA students have an opportunity to deepen their knowledge and experience in the international business world through short-term study programs. Spend 7-10 days abroad with students and faculty learning first hand from business leaders and entrepreneurs. This optional program will be offered in conjunction with the Managing in a Global Environment course.



"The Augsburg MBA consulting program solidified what we were learning in the classroom and allowed us to grow in both skill and confidence."



## **Concentrations and Certificates**

Enhance your skills with a concentration earned in conjunction with the Augsburg MBA (optional) or a certificate for post-baccalaureate students who have not received an MBA from Augsburg. See the MBA website for credit and course information for these concentrations.

Finance

Marketing

**Human Resource Management** 

**International Business** 

Healthcare Management

## MSW/MBA Dual Degree

Augsburg offers a dual MSW/MBA degree for social workers. Students will learn to create better managed and financially sound service organizations to serve diverse communities both locally and globally. The Augsburg MSW/MBA provides the knowledge, experience, and values necessary for success in both business and human services systems. Augsburg is the only college in Minnesota to offer a dual degree in social work and business administration.

## Locations

Augsburg College Minneapolis campus, Thrivent Financial for Lutherans™ (downtown Minneapolis), Bloomington, and downtown Rochester. The Thrivent option is open to all applicants who choose a fall start.





Responsive, engaging faculty



## **Bruce Batten**

How did an anatomy and cell biology professor find his way into management with IT companies? Bruce Batten says he was looking for another challenge.

Shortly after he was granted tenure, Bruce decided it was time to learn something new. He got involved with technology companies and continues to be involved with a healthcare IT start-up. Through the years he served in several leadership positions and has even started companies.

Bruce returned to academia in 2008 to serve as the director of the Augsburg MBA Management Consulting program. In this role, he combines his teaching and business backgrounds to help MBA students earn valuable business experience while also serving the needs of the Twin Cities corporate and non-profit communities.

Bruce recommends the Augsburg MBA because he says the rigorous pace and high academic standard improve the quality of the program for the students. "And," he says, "the fact that we are small is a big advantage. We are focused on teaching, so our students get the individual attention they need to be successful."

Before moving in to financial services, Peter had earned an engineering degree and then worked in the industrial engineering field. His education and experience taught him critical thinking skills and how to approach complex problems, but financial services required a new skillset.

"The MBA didn't cross my mind until I got into the financial world."

Peter says the Augsburg MBA has supplied the knowledge and business perspectives he needed to be successful.

"I think having an MBA will open up doors in my career. I'm looking forward to see where it will take me."

I came for an MBA.

I gained the knowledge I need to be successful.

PETER TROOLIN '10 MBA



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Go online to register to attend an information session held throughout the year, or call or e-mail to schedule an individual appointment.

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## **About Augsburg**

Established in 1869 Graduate programs since 1987

## **Graduate programs**

Doctor of Nursing Practice
Master of Arts in Education
Master of Arts in Leadership
Master of Arts in Nursing
Master of Business Administration (MBA)
Master of Science in Physician Assistant Studies
Master of Social Work

## Locations

**Minneapolis**—All graduate programs are offered on Augsburg's main campus on Riverside Avenue near downtown Minneapolis.

**Downtown Minneapolis**—The MBA program is offered at Thrivent Financial for Lutherans $^{TM}$ .

**Bloomington**—The Leadership and MBA programs are offered at St. Stephen Lutheran Church, I-494 and France Avenue.

**Downtown Rochester**—The Nursing, Education, and MBA programs are offered at Bethel Lutheran Church.

## **Tuition and financial aid**

Financial aid is available for graduate students enrolled in a degree-seeking program.

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