



IE - Fletcher Dual Degree

International MBA and International Affairs/Law and Diplomacy

Objective

The objective of this dual degree is to allow students to earn both a Master of Business Administration (MBA) at IE Business School¹ and a Master of Arts in Law and Diplomacy (MALD)² or a Master of Arts (MA)³ in International Law and Organizations; Diplomacy, History and Politics; and Economics and International Business where applicable - at Fletcher in less time than would be required if each degree were sought separately. For this purpose each school will credit certain electives from the other school toward its degree.

This dual degree program is intended to prepare students for careers that combine international affairs and management. It is particularly appropriate for students who seek management responsibilities in international corporations, global financial institutions, international economic and development institutions, and government agencies.

Deadlines

IE Business School offers two intakes per year (April & November) for its International MBA program and has a rolling admissions process meaning there are no application deadlines. Nonetheless, early application is highly recommended to ensure a place in the intake of your choice. The Fletcher School also has two intakes per year (September & January) for its MALD and one intake for its mid-career MA program (September). While the vast majority of applications to MALD are for the fall semester, a small class is admitted each year for the spring semester starting in January. The Fletcher School reviews applications in 3 rounds⁴. Please note that those seeking financial support are strongly recommended to apply simultaneously to both institutions to ensure funding opportunities.

Admissions Requirements / Process

Institution IE Business School **Program** **International MBA**

Process To apply you must submit the online application along with the required supporting documents listed in the application form and the GMAT, GRE or ieGAT. If your complete file meets the selection committee's criteria, you will be invited for an interview.

Requirements

- A minimum of 3 years of work experience
- Bachelors Degree or equivalent (transcripts and diploma)
- Entrance Exam (GMAT, GRE or ieGAT)
- 1 page Curriculum Vitae
- Two Letters of Recommendation
- Language Certificate (English or Spanish) if you are a non native speaker of the language in which you are planning to study the program
- Photo and copy of passport
- Application Fee: 125 Euros

Institution The Fletcher School **Program** **MALD/MA**

Process To apply you must use the online application found on the website. Candidates should specify the program of interest

Requirements

- Application fee
- Curriculum Vitae
- Application for Admission
- Personal Statement
- Supplemental essay
- Evaluative Interview (optional)
- GMAT or GRE
- English certificate such as TOEFL
- Official academic transcripts from all previously attended institutions
- 3 Recommendation letters

Admissions Criteria

Students will apply to both schools separately and be evaluated for admission by each based on respective requirements and criteria, including GMAT, GRE or IE Global Admissions Test (ieGAT) as applicable. For administrative identification applicants to the dual degree program will be requested to indicate their intentions on their applications to both schools so that close consultation between both institutions' admissions offices be facilitated. Please note that generally speaking tuition scholarships supporting the dual degree program are only available if application and admission to both schools has been processed prior to commencement of either. Please note that the MA is targeting senior students whereas the MALD is targeting junior students. For further information, refer to the programs' websites.

¹ International MBA website: www.ie.edu/imba / ² MALD website: <http://fletcher.tufts.edu/MALD> / ³ MA website: <http://fletcher.tufts.edu/MA> / ⁴ Please refer to the website for the deadlines of each program

Dual Degree Structure

Students can start the program in either institution and complete the dual degree in the other. The total duration of the dual degree can vary **from 19 months to 2 years** depending on the combination chosen. Several combinations are possible:

Option 1: If the student joins IE's November intake and then MA/MALD in September, the total duration is around 2 years (depending on the combination) with the following structure:

IE Business School International MBA (9 months)	1st period Nov-Feb	2nd period Feb-May	3rd period May-Jul	Summer Break	The Fletcher School MA (9 months) Sept-May
	Business Fundamentals	Core Management	Integration and Implementation		
IE Business School International MBA (9 months)	1st period Nov-Feb	2nd period Feb-May	3rd period May-Jul	Summer Break	The Fletcher School MALD (16 months) Sept-May / Sept-Dec of following year
	Business Fundamentals	Core Management	Integration and Implementation		

Option 2: If the student joins IE's April intake and then MALD in January, the total duration is around 2 years (depending on the combination) with the following structure:

IE Business School International MBA (9 months)	1st period Apr-Jun	2nd period Jul-Sept	3rd period Oct-Dec	Short Break	The Fletcher School MALD (17 months) Jan-May / Sept-May of following year
	Business Fundamentals	Core Management	Integration and Implementation		



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Fees and Financial Aid

The tuition fees for the programs are:

- International MBA €59,200*
- MA/MALD \$38,464*

Requests for financial aid will be processed separately by each institution and in accordance with the school's policy. In order to request scholarships or financial aid, candidates must have already received a definitive admission prior to the beginning of either program and indicate they are applying to the dual degree program.

* Prices are subject to annual change. Please check the corresponding program websites for the most up-to-date information

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