DEDICATED TO SUPPORTING HIGH POTENTIAL BUSINESS SCHOOLS

Join the world’s premier MBA Business School Network

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The ADN network is in itself a valuable and practical tool for any Business School. Socials, refresher and conference events offer wonderful opportunity for developing symbiotic synergies.

In addition to the forum news there is a wealth of practical tools. Finally, ADN helps us to stay up-to-date about international standards and the changing landscape of business education.

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THE AMBA DEVELOPMENT NETWORK

The AMBA Development Network (ADN) was launched with one key mission in mind: to provide high-potential Business Schools with the opportunity to be part of a community that promotes continuous improvement. The ADN has been shaped to support Schools who share AMBA’s values and seek assistance in reaching our accreditation standards.

Joining the ADN enables Business Schools to leverage the strength and support of the AMBA family to aid their development and goals. The ADN offers numerous tools, connections, and research, which can help create positive initiatives and changes to your management education portfolio.

By joining the AMBA Development Network, you join a prestigious group of Business Schools dedicated to improving management education around the world.

ABOUT THE ASSOCIATION OF MBAs

Founded in 1967, AMBA’s mission has always been to promote and uphold high standards for postgraduate management education internationally. AMBA encourages students to enrol with Business Schools that not only offer quality programmes, but develop capable leaders who will contribute to changing the world for the better.

The AMBA ecosystem also promotes unparalleled interaction between quality Business Schools, ambitious students, and innovative employers, ensuring rich dialogue and the exchange of ideas between these stakeholders.

Andrew Main Wilson
Chief Executive Officer
AMBA
ADN DESKTOP REVIEW AND INSTITUTIONAL MENTORSHIP

Joining the ADN entitles your School to tailored advice from an experienced, AMBA-approved Business School expert through our Desktop Review, which is an in-depth consideration of your MBA portfolio. External reviewers will provide constructive feedback on how the MBA portfolio is positioned in relation to the AMBA accreditation criteria as well as industry best practice. You can also have a conversation with AMBA accreditation staff should you choose to commence the accreditation process. Alongside the review, we also offer institutional mentorship for an additional fee to Schools looking for a bespoke process to guiding you towards AMBA accreditation standards.

AMBA RESOURCES

The ADN provides members with access to a wealth of resources including bespoke research, case studies, and video interviews with some of the world’s most influential leaders. Alongside this, all members receive access to our monthly AMBITION magazine which provides insight into the business education market and the latest trends affecting the industry. Members have the option to also partake in tailored research projects with AMBA and be featured in our publications.
ONLINE COMMUNITY NETWORK

ADN membership includes an online platform where you can actively engage and network with other Business Schools in the AMBA community. This will allow you to establish faculty or student exchanges, set up joint-research projects, or share content with the rest of the community. You can also advertise employment opportunities should you seek to expand your faculty or professional service staff. ADN Schools are also listed on the AMBA website which is visited by pre-MBA students seeking to select a study programme as well as industry professionals looking to hire new graduates.

EVENTS

Be among the first to hear about AMBA’s Global Conference, Accreditation Forum, Latin America Conference, Business School Professionals Conference, Employer Forum and Asia Pacific Conference. All ADN members receive discounted delegate rates to all our events. Meet both new and old connections, and join thought-provoking discussions and workshops. In addition to our conferences we also deliver a number of free webinars and social events around the world, which ADN members are welcome to attend.
Being part of the ADN puts you on the path towards AMBA accreditation, enabling ongoing conversations with AMBA accreditation staff should you choose to commence the accreditation process.

Being the world’s only MBA, MBM, and DBA-specific accreditation and student/alumni membership organisation, AMBA brings together a unique mix of Business Schools from around the world that have succeeded in meeting AMBA’s rigorous accreditation criteria. Accrediting more than 250 Business Schools from six continents, in more than 70 countries, AMBA is truly global in scope. Our accredited Schools make up approximately 3% of the world’s best business education providers, forming an unmatched gold standard for postgraduate management courses.

We work with Business Schools to accredit MBA, DBA and Master’s Degree programmes globally, against defined criteria and include input from a variety of stakeholders, including Business School staff, students, graduates and employers. Accredited programmes are reviewed at least every five years to ensure that quality is upheld and improvements are continuous.

In addition, AMBA connects over 30,000 MBA, MBM, and DBA students and alumni, forming a truly exclusive and talent-rich global network.
ELIGIBILITY

In order to join the ADN, Business Schools are required to:

• Provide evidence of national market credibility, financial sustainability and institutional continuity
• Demonstrate commitment to continuous improvement
• Be recommended by a dean at an AMBA-accredited Business School.

MEMBERSHIP FEES

• Annual ADN Fee £4,750 GBP
• Two-year commitment Annual Fee £4,500 GBP
• Three-year commitment Annual Fee £4,250 GBP

Please note that fees can vary according to region and reduced fees are available for Schools in some emerging markets. Please contact AMBA to find out more.

To begin the application process, please express your interest by filling out our form at: www.mbaworld.com/adn