

IMD MBA 2009 class profile



only 90 people...

... a year can take our MBA. Why so few?

Because we believe that world-class business leaders cannot be mass-produced.

We look for and will only consider individuals with a demonstrated potential to become future global leaders as well as excellent general managers.

To apply for the IMD MBA, a candidate must have a minimum of 3 years' work experience, although the average is 7.

With 90 places, we are highly selective and uncompromising throughout the admission process.

If you think that IMD is the right place for you, please download program details from our website at: www.imd.ch/mba

diverse and experienced

Class enrollment	90
Countries represented	38
Average age at entry	31
Age: 28 - 33	83%
Average years of work experience	7
4 - 9 years	84%
Women	20%

work experience

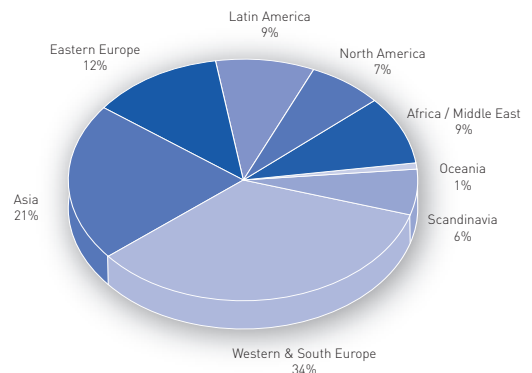
Functions - Job positions	
Project Management	18%
Marketing & Sales	18%
Finance	17%
Strategy & Planning	16%
Operations	10%
General Management	8%
Business Development	7%
IT/R&D	3%
Human Resources/ Legal/Corp. Affairs/Misc.	3%
Work sector	
Manufacturing Industry	44%
Telecom & High Tech	17%
Financial Services	13%
Consulting	11%
Public Sector	8%
Service Industry	7%

educational background

Engineering	38%
Finance and Economics	26%
Business and Commerce	16%
Social Sciences	12%
Natural Sciences	8%

countries represented

Australia	Lebanon
Austria	Lithuania
Belgium	Malaysia
Brazil	Mexico
Canada	Netherlands
China	Nigeria
Colombia	Norway
Denmark	Peru
Estonia	Romania
France	Russia
Germany	Saudi Arabia
Greece	Singapore
Hong Kong	South Africa
India	Sweden
Iran	Switzerland
Israel	Thailand
Italy	UK
Japan	Ukraine
Korea	USA



international exposure

Participants who have lived or worked outside their home country for a minimum of 6 months: **91%**
On average, our participants speak **4** languages



Companies need talent, especially in difficult economic times. Young and sharp individuals to drive innovation. IMD is the place to recruit these individuals. The single aim of the IMD MBA program is to develop global leaders who will have a significant positive impact on their businesses, communities, and the global economy and who lead with high levels of integrity.

The general management program, together with the exceptional experience and maturity of the IMD MBA graduates, continues to be a winning combination. In 2008 IMD was selected as the #1 MBA program in The Economist MBA ranking (September, 2008). By bringing together the top companies and the brightest students IMD achieved outstanding Career Services results, which account for 55% of the ranking.

As our 2008 MBA graduates move into leadership roles throughout the world, we would like to thank the organizations and individuals who have strongly contributed to our recruitment success.



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salary

Average starting base salary of accepted offers:

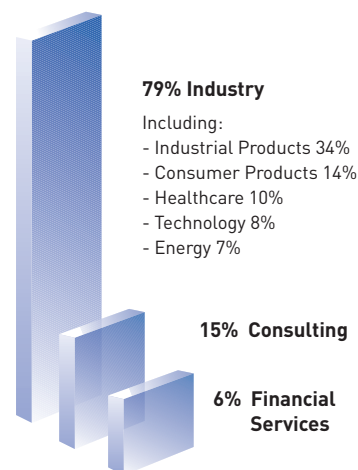
Average	\$ 128,000	(€ 87,000)
Median	\$ 127,000	(€ 87,000)
Sign-up bonus	\$ 29,000	(€ 20,000)

% that received a sign-on bonus: 77%

IMD MBAs went around the globe

Europe	83%
Asia	8%
Latin America	7%
North America	2%

diverse opportunities



recruiting companies*

A.T. Kearney	Eli Lilly and Company	Monitor Group
ABB	Embraco	MTS Group
Abbott Vascular	Emerson Process Management	Nestlé
Abraaj Capital	Energie Baden-Württemberg	Novartis
Abu Dhabi National Energy Company	Ernst & Young Global	OceanWind
ACE	Essent	Pentair
a-connect	Experteer	PepsiCo
AES Corporation	Fidelity Investments	Philip Morris International
Alcan	Firmenich	Philips
Allianz	Gallup	Poken
Alstom	GE Healthcare	PricewaterhouseCoopers
Altran Group	GE Oil & Gas	Proceq
Alvarez & Marsal	Gemalto	Procter & Gamble
Amazon	Google	RENAULT-NISSAN Consulting
AMPCO METAL	Grisons Peak	Roquette
APM Terminals Management B.V.	HAL Investments	Royal Dutch Shell
ArcelorMittal	Hay Group Holdings	Samsung Global Strategy Group
Archer Daniels Midland Company	HBOSplc	SAP
AstraZeneca	Hewlett-Packard Development Company	Saudi Oger
Bain & Company	Hilti	Schindler Group
Bank Audi	Holcim	Sodexo
Barclays	Honeywell	Solvay
BHP Billiton	InBev	Standard Chartered Bank
Bombardier Recreational Products	International Finance Corporation	Stryker
Booz & Company	Johnson & Johnson	SunPower Corporation
Borealis	Johnson & Johnson Procurement	Swiss Life
BT Group	JPMorgan Chase & Co.	Syngenta
Cargill	Julius Baer Group	Synthes
Citigroup	Knowledge and Human Development Authority	Tatra
CNH Global	KPN	TECOM Investments
Danaher Corporation	Lombard Odier Darier Hentsch & Cie	TeleTech Holdings
Dayak	L'Oréal	The Blue Orchid
Dell	LVMH	The Boston Consulting Group
Deloitte Touche Tohmatsu	Maersk Oil	The Royal Bank of Scotland Group
Dexia	Mannai Corporation	Transocean
DHL	McKinsey & Company	TÜV SÜD
DnB NOR	Medtronic	Unisys
Dr. Reddy's Laboratories	Microsoft	Vale
DSM	Mobilis	Vestas Wind Systems
DuPont	Mobistar	Wipro Technologies
Eaton Corporation		World Economic Forum
		XL Capital

* Companies that participated in On-Campus Recruiting and companies that made at least 1 offer to the 2008 IMD MBA class.