



# Annual Course Schedule 2021 - Notes

## MBA (Executive), MBAX (Online) and Graduate Certificates

### Class Modes (10 Unit courses assessed over a 12 week Term)

#### Face-to-face Fortnightly evening classes.

F2F Fortnightly classes run 6-9pm fortnightly commencing in week 1, covering 2 class units each week.

Fortnightly classes require a minimum of **80% attendance**, so you may miss 1 fortnight without having to apply for **Special Consideration**. Due to strict social distancing requirements, attendance at an alternate class due to illness, family or work commitments must be approved by Student Experience, pending the class size, group work progress and whether an alternate night is running.

If you are feeling unwell in the lead-up to a Fortnightly F2F class do not attend class and seek medical advice. If this means that you will not be able to attend, please let Student Experience and your Facilitator know and apply for Special Consideration. Please consider the health and safety of your colleagues.

#### Face-to-face Intensive weekend classes:

Course delivery occurs over a 12-week term and includes 2 intensive weekends. Intensive courses require **100% attendance** and students are required to complete **weekly coursework**, readings and online activities/discussions through Moodle **prior to attending** class. If 100% attendance isn't met a student must apply for Special Consideration (via the online services portal in myUNSW) within 3 working days in order to remain in the course.

<https://student.unsw.edu.au/special-consideration>

If you are feeling unwell in the lead-up to an Intensive **do not attend class** and seek medical advice. If this means that you will not be able to attend, please let Student Experience and your Facilitator know and apply for Special Consideration within 3 working days. Please consider the health and safety of your colleagues.

#### Online WEB weekly classes:

Course delivery occurs over a 12 week term through the online eLearning platform Moodle. Students are required to complete coursework, reading, assessment and participate in regular online discussions and/or activities. This is a flexible format and **does not have scheduled face-to-face meetings each week but may have 1-4 scheduled optional webinars to attend (which should be recorded)**. Readings, learning activities and assessments are accessible online. Students are expected to log on to the course site on a regular basis (ie several times each week), for participation in discussion threads and activities which are due weekly. Many online courses include prescheduled video conferences for class introductions and assessment briefings. Dates and details of these will be made available by the Facilitator at the commencement of Term.

#### Online Virtual weekly classes:

Are delivered weekly online at a set day and time for 90 minutes eg 6-7:30pm or 7:30-9pm ie similar to a weekly face to face class but with a virtual delivery. The link to the weekly session will be provided through the Moodle class site and is likely to be via the Collaborate Ultra platform, zoom or Microsoft Teams. Classes run for 10 weeks (10 course units).

### Global Network for Advanced Management (GNAM) - Global Network Week (GNW):

GNWs are planned to be offered 3 times in 2021: March, June and October. Students are able to apply for places in courses at top business schools around the world. Students can attend one GNW for one elective (6 UOC) and there are links to the syllabus, schedule, and video for programs on the GNAM website.

### Course Equivalencies across AGSM Programs

MBAE and MBAX students may enrol in the equivalent Core course(s) of an alternative Program. AGSM MBA programs are designed to ensure that all AGSM MBA graduates have the same core skills and knowledge, and as such a range of MBAE Stage 1 courses and MBAX Core courses are equivalent to each other while being offered in different formats. The table below shows the equivalent courses across program Core and Elective courses.

MBA (Executive) Course	Course name	MBAX Course	Course name
MNGT 6275	Managing People & Organisations	MBAX 9125	Managing People & Organisations
MNGT 6210	Accounting & Financial Management	MBAX 9120	Accounting & Financial Management
MNGT 6321	Corporate Finance	MBAX 9123	Corporate Finance
MNGT 6251	Marketing Management	MBAX 9114	Marketing Management
MBA FT Course			
MNGT 5321	Advanced Managerial Finance	MBAX 9137	Advanced Finance
MNGT 5312	Financial Statement Analysis	MBAX 9138	Financial Analysis
MNGT 5540	Business Modelling	MBAX 9142	Financial Modelling
MNGT 5325	International Finance	MBAX 9140	Global Finance
MNGT 5522	Mergers and Acquisitions	MBAX 9141	Mergers and Acquisitions

### MBA (Executive) Elective Options

**MBAX Cores** MBAE students can take MBAX core courses as electives. Please note potential crossover in concepts with MBAE Stage 2 as noted below;  
 - MBAE students who commenced prior to 2021, can *not* take MBAX9131 Leadership as an elective, due to overlap in concepts with MNGT6211 Executive Blueprint and MBA (Executive) Stage 2 EAY1 (MNGT7495 Strategic Leadership)  
 - MBAE students can take MBAX9143 Strategic Management as an elective but please note there is crossover of concepts with MBAE Stage 2 EAY4 (MNGT7498 Transformation)  
 - The enrolment system currently does not allow MBAE students to enrol in MBAX9153 Implementing Strategy as an elective. This has been reviewed & is now permitted. Please request via studentexperience@agsm.edu.au and the team can facilitate a manual enrolment in MBAX9153 Implementing Strategy for you.

**MBAX Specialisations** MBAE students can take MBAX specialisations as electives except:-  
 - MBAX6272 Change Skills (due to overlap with MNGT6211 Executive Blueprint)  
 - MBAX9132 Intrapreneurship due to considerable overlap with MNGT7496 Innovation (EAY2)  
 - Any capstone courses (MBAX9155 Strategic Consulting Project or COMMS714 Social Impact Capstone)  
 - MBA (Medical Technology & Pharmaceuticals - MTP) electives are not available as MBAE electives.  
 - MBA (Law) - electives not available as MBAE electives.

**MBAE Electives** Please regularly reference the MBAE structure page on the AGSM website for elective options under MNGT6xxx codes. In general MBAE will utilise the MBAX specialisations and non-common core as the primary source of electives.

**MBA FT** MBAE and MBAX students may also apply to cross-program enrol into a selection of MBA FT electives, pending approval. There will be no Full-time MBA Electives offered in 2021 as the Program will undertake core courses in Terms 2 & 3, 2021. Please note FT MBA course fees are higher and priority is given to FT MBA and Exchange students. Most courses are offered during business hours and occasionally a weekend intensive option. Currently MNGT5180 Operationalising Strategy is the only FT MBA elective course *not* approved for Cross-Program enrolment. If you are interested in a MBA FT elective, please contact the Student Experience Team for further information and enrolment approval (studentexperience@agsm.edu.au).

**GNW** Global Network Week (GNW) runs 3 times a year: March, June & October. If you have room in your program, students from MBAE and MBAX are able to apply for this short-form exchange at top business schools around the world. Students can apply for one of the GNAM schools for one elective (6UOC) and there are links to the syllabus, schedule, and video for programs on the GNAM website.

### Course Fees

The Student Services and Amenities Fee (SSAF) is charged to all enrolled students. This fee must be paid at the due dates or you may receive a Fee Block which will prevent enrolment.

[SSAF Fee](#)

You can access information on student fees and payment [here](#).

### Course Prerequisites

**MBAX** All Finance specialisations have prerequisites of Core Accounting & Financial Management and Core Corporate Finance.

MBAX6274 Systems for Change has a prerequisite of MBAX6271 Approaches to Change.

The Capstone course MBAX9155 Strategic Consulting Project should be completed last unless special approval sought and approved.

**MBAX9131 Leadership** Whether you are an MBA (Executive) or MBAX (Online) student, this compulsory foundation course should be completed as your first course. We suggest your first course should be studied as a single course, even if you choose to study multiple courses in subsequent terms.

**MBA FT** MBA FT electives assume related core course knowledge. Eg Advanced Managerial Finance, Business Modelling and Quantitative Business Modelling all require Core Accounting & Corporate Finance. Elective MNGT5395 Strategies for Growth requires core MNGT5282 Strategy. Elective MNGT5203 Entrepreneurship from the Inside requires core course MNGT5202 Entrepreneurship and Innovation.

### Enrolment Notes

**MBAX9131 Leadership** From Term 1 2020, we introduced MBAX9131 Leadership as the **mandatory commencement course into the MBAX (Online) program**. Students who commenced MBAX (Online) prior to Term 1 2020 will not be required to undertake MBAX9131 Leadership but may do so if they wish, as a core course.

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There may be other courses that have some **overlap** with material in this core course as you progress through your MBA degree program eg in the Social Impact specialisation COMM5902 Leadership for Social Impact. In this instance, the context and focus are different, enabling you to broaden and deepen your knowledge and skillset.

**Multiple Enrolments** A single course typically requires 10-15 hours of effort (class time, reading, assessments, group work, dialogues) per week. We strongly caution students against trying to complete 2 courses at once, due to workload issues and the impact upon your WAM.

**Course Codes** **MBA (Executive) program course codes** = MNGT6xxx, but has limited electives in these codes so refer to MBAX9xxx & MNGT5xxx as well.

**MBAX (Online) program** = MBAX 9xxx and can cross program enrol into MBA(Exec) core courses and electives where exclusions not noted;

The MBA Full-time program = MNGT 5xxx.

### Progression Planning

Our amazing Student Experience Team are here to help you navigate the myriad of options available to ensure you maximise learning outcomes with AGSM.

To book a consultation please contact the team on 9931 9400 or studentexperience@agsm.edu.au

### Wait Lists

In 2021 UNSW introduced [Class Registration Waitlisting](#) (Step 2 of the enrolment process). This allows students to waitlist for a class per mode, day and time. Early enrolment is advised to secure your preferred class. Room caps for face-to-face classes vary in accordance with COVID-19 permitted maximum room capacity which is based upon room square meterage.

Enrolment may be facilitated until the end of Week 1, subject to availability. Please note classes with low enrolments may be cancelled.

Please do not enrol in classes you do not intend to proceed with as this impacts your colleagues and the viability of scheduled offerings.