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PROFESSIONAL GRADUATE SCHOOL

MEIJI UNIVERSITY
GRADUATE SCHOOL OF
GLOBAL BUSINESS



MBA

OUR PHILOSOPHY & MISSION



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The basic purpose of the Graduate School of Global Business is to cultivate business professionals possessing specialised knowledge and skills, analytical capabilities, value-creation skills, a broad perspective, strong ethical principles, leadership qualities, and a global outlook. These individuals are entrusted with the comprehensive management of organisations as managers and senior executives, contributing to the dynamism of the economy and society. Moreover, the school is dedicated to assuming a leadership role in society. To fulfill the trust bestowed on the school by society, the Graduate School of Global Business is committed to nurturing the following cadre of business professionals:

- Executives, Successors, and Support Personnel for Family Business Development
- Innovative human resources for start-up businesses, including new businesses and second-stage start-ups.

To better fulfil its educational objectives, faculty members conduct research covering corporate and organisational management, as well as family business and startup business. The school provides a collaborative space for students and faculty, a platform for students' autonomous learning in practical and theoretical aspects, an avenue for career change, and a space for business matching.

DEAN'S MESSAGE

We are now standing at a major turning point in society, the economy, and technology. The rapid advancement of digital technologies, demographic shifts, growing uncertainty in the global economy, and the diversification of values are not merely environmental changes. They represent structural transformations that challenge the very assumptions underlying managerial decision-making—such as corporate growth strategies, human resource development, business succession, and new business creation. While past experiences of success remain valuable assets for managers, they can also constrain perspectives and narrow the range of possible decisions. Frameworks that were effective in an era of gradual change no longer function reliably in today's environment.

Under such conditions, leaders of companies and organizations are increasingly required to make decisions without clear or predetermined answers. As a result, the importance of continuous learning and self-renewal—constantly updating one's knowledge and thinking in response to change—has never been greater. At the same time, managers are expected to grasp the essence of change, identify issues and develop solutions through critical thinking, communicate effectively with stakeholders from diverse backgrounds to build consensus, and exercise leadership suited to the demands of the times. Together, these capabilities constitute advanced and comprehensive management skills.

Meiji Business School aims to foster business leaders and professionals who can accurately assess situations, make sound judgments, and take decisive action in an era of profound transformation. We define a "business professional" as an individual grounded in a strong sense of ethics, equipped with broad knowledge and advanced skills in information gathering and analysis, capable of making informed decisions, clearly communicating those decisions to relevant stakeholders, and translating them into effective organizational action.

With this vision, the School has established two core clusters as focal areas of education. The first focuses on the development of family business leaders. This cluster seeks to nurture key human resources who will support successors and managers of small and medium-sized enterprises (SMEs), particularly family-owned businesses that form the backbone of the Japanese economy. These leaders must possess not only conventional management theories developed primarily for large corporations, but also the insight and practical ability to address challenges unique to family businesses. We firmly believe that the sustainable growth of SMEs and family enterprises is essential to the vitality of Japan's economy as a whole.

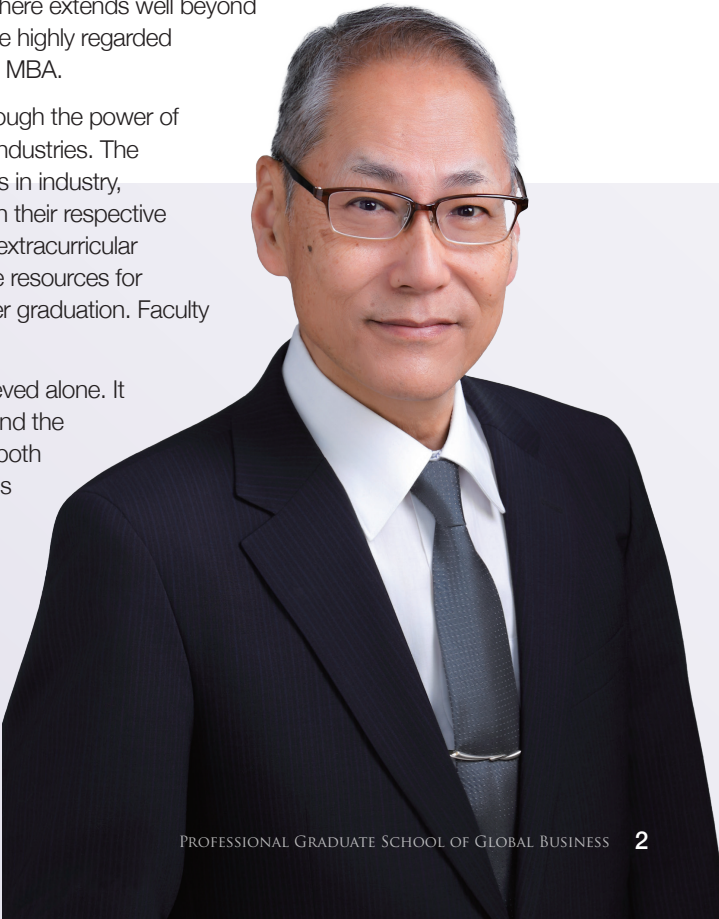
The second cluster centers on the development of leaders for business creation and entrepreneurship. As growth in existing businesses slows across many industries, the creation of new businesses has become an urgent managerial challenge. While emphasizing new business development within established organizations, the Business School also seeks to foster entrepreneurial talent capable of launching their own ventures. In fact, many graduates have gone on to start businesses, develop new ventures, and play active roles in the management and operation of startup companies.

At Meiji Business School, students develop advanced management capabilities through study in five specialized fields. With more than 170 courses offered, each student can design a personalized learning path aligned with their career stage and future aspirations. In response to the rapid globalization of business, strong emphasis is also placed on cultivating the ability to make decisions and demonstrate leadership in international settings. In addition to programs that can be completed entirely in English, practical learning opportunities are provided in collaboration with leading overseas business schools. Some students participate in overseas programs while still enrolled, demonstrating that learning here extends well beyond the classroom. This educational content and management system are highly regarded internationally, as evidenced by accreditation as an EFMD Accredited MBA.

Finally, graduates are expected to contribute to improving society through the power of business—within their companies, organizations, communities, and industries. The colleagues encountered at the Business School transcend differences in industry, profession, and position, and continue to pursue shared aspirations in their respective fields. The relationships of trust built through seminars, lectures, and extracurricular activities evolve into lasting professional networks, serving as valuable resources for consultation, collaboration, and managerial decision-making long after graduation. Faculty members and staff are also integral parts of this network.

The challenge of improving society through business cannot be achieved alone. It requires the sharing of knowledge and experience, mutual support, and the collective will to move forward together. Meiji Business School offers both a strong network and a place for practical engagement to support this endeavor. We invite you to become part of our community and take the next step toward the future with us.

Professor
SUZUKI Takanao
Dean, Meiji Business School



OUTLINE OF MEIJI BUSINESS SCHOOL

Part-time MBA

(Weekday nights and Saturdays)

Programme	Professional Degree Programme	Duration	2-year-long MBA programme
Degree to be Awarded	Master of Business Administration (Professional)	Courses	Semester Course: 1 class/week 15 weekdays or 14 Saturdays Quarter Course: 2 consecutive classes/week, 8 weekdays or 7 Saturdays
Timetable	Weekday, 7 periods, 9:00~22:00 Saturday, 6 periods, 9:00~20:40	Credits	Every course provides 2 credits
Enrollment	Either 1st April or 20th September (cf. pg 14)		

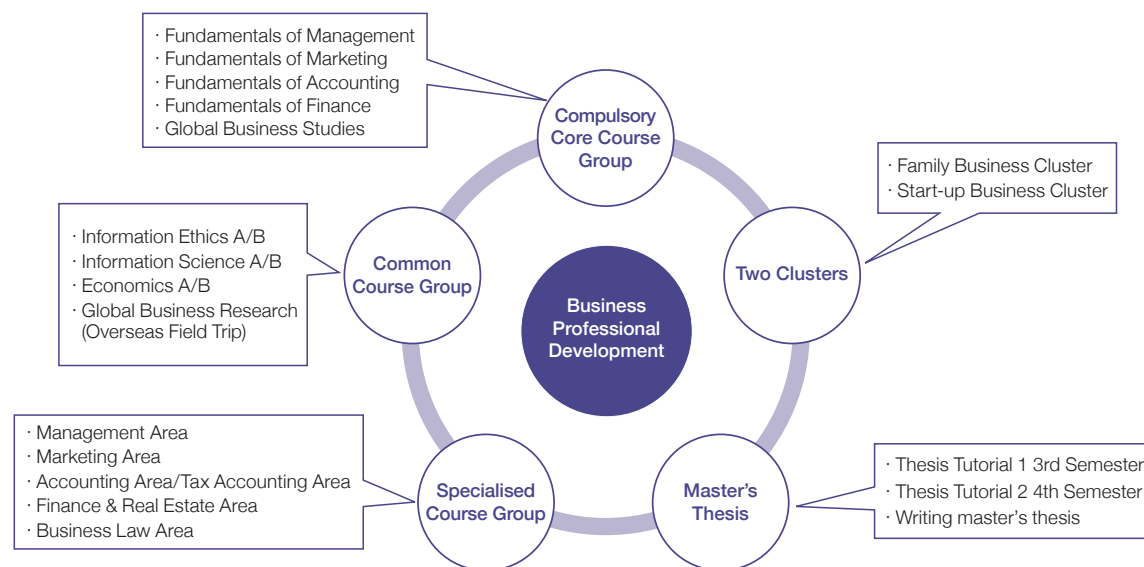
Characteristics of the MBS curriculum (Business Professional Development)

(1) Compulsory Core Course Group

The compulsory core courses group develops the wide range of fundamental knowledge and skills in management that a general manager should possess, and builds a solid foundation in order to take specialised courses. Students must take 10 credits from the courses below until graduation.

(2) Common Course Group

The common course group includes courses on quantitative, institutional, and behavioral analytical methods, with the aim of fostering knowledge that is commonly needed in all academic areas. This also includes Global Business Research (Overseas Field Trips) in which MBS students visit overseas business schools and local companies.



(3) Specialised Course Group

The specialised course group is set to learn new knowledge and skills necessary for future corporate management and operations, as well as to advance specialised knowledge and skills in 5 areas. With practical learnings and case studies, students develop professional insight in a specialised area while cultivating abilities to identify and solve problems. We also offer around 60 courses taught in English for enhancing English proficiency in business scene.

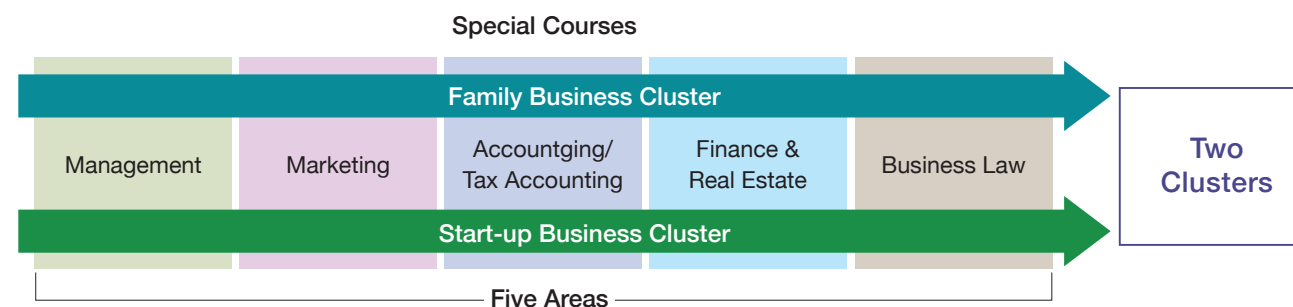
(4) Graduation Requirement / Master's Thesis

Students are required to pass the examination on master's theses for the MBA degree. They write their theses as a culmination of the study in MBS under supervision by a professor in thesis tutorial courses in their second year. The format of theses is not limited to academic papers. "Business models creation" and "Case analyses" can be available.

Two Clusters

(Family Business Cluster & Start-up Business Cluster)

We have introduced the concept of "clusters," which is a cross-sectional study model, in addition to the existing academic specialties. Now, we have started two clusters: "family business" and "start-up business." These are mechanisms intended to offer a place where any researchers, our students and alumni who are interested in these fields can discuss in a comprehensive manner without being fixed on a narrow expertise of course.



Our Courses Taught in English, 2026 Meiji Business School provides;

Fundamentals of Finance	Fundamentals of Management
Fundamentals of Accounting	Fundamentals of Marketing
Global Business Studies	Global Business Research
Strategy for CFO and M&A Accounting	Corporate Liquidity Management
Corporate Value Management	International Business
Family Business	International Family Business
Human Resource Management	International Human Resource Management
Strategic Management	Business Communication
Business Analysis (Seminar)	Thesis Tutorial 1 & 2

Other Institutions co-provide;

Information Ethics A	Information Ethics B
Information Science A	Information Science B
Economics A	Economics B
Private Sector Development	Qualitative Research Methods
Transnational Management A	Transnational Management B
E Commerce A	E Commerce B
Business Management and Organization 1A	Business Management and Organization 1B
Business Management and Organization 2B	Organization Behavior A
Strategic Management A	Strategic Management B
Global Business A	NGO/NPO Management
Public Governance and Management	Management Control Systems B
Advanced Financial Accounting A	Advanced Financial Accounting B
Financial Statement Analysis A	Financial Statement Analysis B
International Marketing A	International Marketing B
Service Marketing A	Service Marketing B

*The list of courses is subject to change

Thesis (Seminar)

Management Area

This area aims to develop the necessary ability to become managers who have mastered pragmatic methods and modes of thinking which enable them to break away from existing theories and ideas and achieve a breakthrough on management-related issues such as entrepreneurship/business ethics, human resources management with a view to cross-cultural relationships, institutional innovation/business management based on specific needs, and the development of new knowledge.

Finance & Real Estate Area

This area has courses of business finance including expertise in corporate finance and financial strategies; courses related to knowledge of banks/insurance, financial markets/products; and others such as financial risk management, financial price theory based on financial engineering, derivatives and securitization, real estate finance, and real estate market analysis. Diverse expertise about finance and real estate can be developed.

THESIS TUTORIAL (Seminar)

Prof. FUJIOKA Takamasa Seminar Management Area

Our seminar focuses on the various management issues around strategy, global management and management control systems. In this seminar, you will acquire basic skills in conducting a research project such as setting research questions, literature reviews, methodologies, and methods.



Prof. HSU Yu-Hsu (Sean) Seminar Management Area

My seminar focuses mainly on issues regarding management, in particular in the fields of family firms, multinational enterprises and human resource management. Students will learn how to conduct sound research as well as to improve their analytical skills.



Prof. NUMATA Yuko Seminar Management Area

We will conduct research on the strategic management of domestic and overseas corporations. We aim to benefit from the best of both worlds, Japanese and Western, or business mindset and academic research. It is my hope that you will be the bridge to integrate these worlds. As such, you are welcome to write your thesis in either Japanese or English.



Prof. Miguel SANTOS Seminar Finance & Real Estate Area

Primary fields of research in this seminar include asset valuation and management and corporate liquidity management. Other topics pertaining to finance and financial management, ranging from value in healthcare to the history of finance and financial management in Japan, may also be pursued in this seminar.
※To be in sabbatical leave in 2027



PART

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OUR FACULTY

PROFESSOR

SUZUKI Takanao Tax Accounting Area

Professor

Career

Graduated from Keio University, Suzuki joined the National Tax Agency and served as several manager position for years. He also worked as a senior tax analyst at the OECD/Center for Tax Policy and Administration.



OKA Toshiko Management Area

Professor

Career

Graduated from Hitotsubashi University in 1986, MBA from Wharton school, University of Pennsylvania in 1992. After Deloitte and some consulting firms, CEO of ABeam M&A Consulting 2005-2016. Currently Independent Director of Sony Group, ENEOS Holdings, and some other companies.



TORIYAMA Masahiro Marketing Area

Professor

Career

Masahiro Toriyama earned his BA from ICU, an MBA from Kellogg (Northwestern), and a PhD from Tokyo Institute of Technology. After 27 years as a management consultant at Nomura Research Institute, he became a professor at Ritsumeikan Business School for 15 years. His expertise spans marketing, marketing research, and agent-based simulation. Currently, he is dedicated to expanding the horizons of marketing. He holds multiple patent applications.



FUJIOKA Takamasa Management Area

Professor

Career

He obtained his Doctoral and Master Degrees from Said Business School of The University of Oxford. Before joining MBS, he served as executive director-head of MBA programme at Sasin School of Management of Chulalongkorn University and visiting scholar at Kellogg School of Management, Northwestern University.



HSU Yu-Hsu (Sean) Management Area

Professor

Career

Sean obtained his B.B.A. from Meiji University, and both M.A. (in Organisation Studies and Ph.D. from Warwick Business School, UK. He has held positions at the University of London (SOAS), the University of Wales, the University of Oxford, the University of Tsukuba, International University Japan and Rikkyo University.



NUMATA Yuko Management Area

Professor

Career

Yuko earned her Bachelor of Economics degree from the University of Tokyo and her Doctorate in Business Administration (DBA) at Hitotsubashi University's Graduate School of International Corporate Strategy. Her career started at Nomura Research Institute and NRI America (New York).



ADACHI Yukihiro Management Area

Professor

Career

Completed a Master's degree at Hitotsubashi University. Master of Laws, MBA, and MOT. After working for the government, Adachi worked for Mitsubishi UFJ Research and Consulting Co., Ltd. until March 2020. He assisted many corporations with their business management for years. He has written many books and theses and has given seminars.



SHUTO Akitoshi Marketing Area

Professor, Associate Dean

Career

Doctor of Business Administration. Graduating from Hitotsubashi University, Shuto planned marketing strategy at Hakuodo Inc. He completed the MBA at Keio University, and earned credits at IESE international programme. He established Hakuodo Brand Consulting Inc. and managed as CEO, then a Director Fellow.



TOYA Keiko Marketing Area

Professor

Career

Ph.D. in Business Administration, Major: Business Sciences Doctoral Program in Systems Management and Business Law, University of Tsukuba. Outside director of Yuasa Trading Co., Ltd., Shin Nippon Biomedical Laboratories, LTD., QB Net Co., Ltd. The primary area is Service Marketing, Service Management.



SHIROTORI Kazuo Marketing Area

Professor

Career

Completed the Doctoral Program at the Graduate School of Social and Cultural Studies, Nihon University, and holds a Ph.D. in Social and Cultural Studies. Joined The Nikkei, Inc. in 1990, where he extensively covered the retail, wholesale, food service, food manufacturing, and distribution policy sectors. He later served as a desk editor for Nikkei MJ and The Nikkei. His major publications include Learning from Hokkaido's Retail Industry: Businesses Resilient to Recessions (President Inc.), Understanding the World of Food Service (Soseisha), and Why Are Vegetable Sections Located at the Entrance? Understanding Economics Through Supermarkets (Asahi Shimbun Publications), among others.



OH Kyosui Finance & Real Estate Area

Professor

Career

Master of Management Engineering from Tokyo Institute of Technology. Oh worked for a Chinese investment bank, the Industrial Bank of Japan and NTT DATA Corporation. He joined MBS in 2004. Visiting scholars at Rutgers University and Tsinghua University. His major is finance, specialized in financial decision making, and more.



YAMAMURA Yoshiro Finance & Real Estate Area

Professor

Career

Doctor (Engineering). Yamamura completed doctoral course in Tokyo Institute of Technology. He taught at Kagawa University and researched at University of Cambridge until 2003. He became an associate professor at MBS in 2004 and the current post since 2012.



Miguel SANTOS Finance & Real Estate Area

Professor

Career

Santos Miguel earned his PhD in Economics from Hiroshima University and his MBA from NOVA University. Before joining MBS, he taught at ASEBS and at Hiroshima University. He was also a member of the EFMD Programme Accreditation Board.



KUMAGAI Ken-ichi Business Law Area

Professor

Career

Kumagai graduated from the Tokyo University of Agricultural and Technology and worked as a patent examiner, a member of the Industrial Property Law Office (JPO) and the Intellectual Property Policy Office (MITI). He taught in Kyushu University Law School, Kyoto University and Meiji Law School. At MBS since 2018.



NAKAYAMA Tomomi Business Law Area

Professor

Career

Nakayama, after the graduate course of Ritsumeikan University, visited the Munich University as a scholarship student (DAAD) until 1987. He became a tenured Prof. of Meiji University from 2007. He researches mainly property law, contract law and mortgage law relating to Japan and Germany.



Yoshida Ai Business Law Area

Associate Professor

Career

Completed the Master's Program (First Stage of the Doctoral Course) at the Graduate School of Law, Chuo University. Obtained an LL.M. in Maritime Law from Tulane University Law School (United States). From October 2001 to October 2021, worked as an attorney at Maritax Law Office. From November 2021 to April 2025, operated Ai Yoshida Law Office. In April 2025, co-founded South & Ai Law Office and became its Co-Managing Partner. From April 2016 to March 2026, served as a Specially Appointed Associate Professor at the Graduate School of Strategic Management, Chuo University. In addition, from June 2019 to June 2025, served as an Outside Audit & Supervisory Board Member of Kyoei Security Service Co., Ltd.



YAMAGUCHI Fujio Accounting Area

Professor

Career

Yamaguchi studied at the University of Tokyo (a Doctor of Economics). After serving as a full-time lecturer and associate professor at Kanagawa University, and as a professor at Aoyama Business School, he became a professor of Meiji Business School in 2004. Now he is a president of Japan Society for Social Science of Accounting.



IKEDA Yoshinori Tax Accounting Area

Professor

Career

Ikeda received his LL.M. degree from Harvard Law School, was visiting researcher at Georgetown University. He served the National Tax Agency for more than 30 years. From 2020 he has been responsible for international taxation at Hongo & Tuji.



ESAKI Junko Accounting Area

Professor

Career

After graduating from the Faculty of Law, Kyushu University, she joined the National Tax Agency of Japan. She has held numerous senior positions, including Professor at the National Tax College; Appeals Judge at the National Tax Tribunal; Assistant Regional Commissioner at a Regional Taxation Bureau; Director of the Office of Rulings and Legal Affairs, Director of the Public Relations Office, and Director of the Corporation Taxation Division at the National Tax Agency; Chief Appeals Judge of the Nagoya Regional Tax Tribunal; and Vice President of the National Tax College, among others. She holds an LL.M. from the University of London (UK) and an LL.M. in Taxation from Georgetown University (USA). From April 2023 to July 2024, she served as an Examiner for the Certified Tax Accountant Examination (Corporate Tax Law). She assumed her current position in April 2026.



■ VISITING & GUEST PROFESSOR

OKUBO Shohei

Visiting Professor

Career

CPA-Japan, CPTA-Japan. Group Managing Director at CaN International Group. Previously worked for E&Y Japan. B.A. in Business Administration at Ritsumeikan University, M.A. in Finance at Waseda University, Executive Management Program (EMP) at the University of Tokyo.



OKUMURA Tadashi

Visiting Professor

Career

Executive officer at Yamada Consulting Group Co., Ltd., and also an accountant. Graduated from MBS. Okumura does consultation on business succession and transfers for corporate owners and estate owners across Japan. He has written many documents regarding business succession and M&A.



MAEDA Yuu

Visiting Professor

Career

Manager of Yamada Consulting Group Co., Ltd. and also an accountant. After graduating from Keio University, Maeda worked at an accounting firm. He has assisted many owners of publicly-traded companies and SMEs with their business succession and M&A. He has also given many seminars regarding business succession. Graduated from MBS.



ISHIKAWA Akira

Visiting Professor

Career

CEO, Incubator Co. Ishikawa has provided new business development services for more than 100 major companies. He participated in the foundation of the website "All About" and served as its GM for 10 years. He wrote many books such as "Deep Skill". Graduated from Sophia University and Waseda Business School.



ODA Hideki

Visiting Associate Professor

Career

CPA-Japan. Partner of CaN International Group. Director of CaN International FAS Inc. Previously worked for Deloitte Japan. B.B.A. in Economics at Kyoto University. Provide due diligence, valuation, and financial advisory services for cross-border deals mainly in Asia.



YAMAMOTO Kazuki

Visiting Professor

Career

President and CEO of TES Holdings Co., Ltd. After graduating from Kansai University in 1993, he joined the TESS Group, focusing on energy solutions and renewable energy. He completed his MBA at Meiji University in 2013 and later led the company's IPO preparation. In 2021, he successfully listed Japan's first SDGs-IPO in the energy sector and became President and CEO in 2022.



YOSHIDA Mayumi

Visiting Professor

Career

Director of TESS Holdings Co., Ltd., leading ESG initiatives and HR strategy. After graduating University of Southern California, she worked in sustainability consulting and GHG emissions certification. She later contributed to solar and biomass energy development, helping achieve top market share in Japan. She joined TESS in 2022 and became a Director the same year.



FUSE Tsutomu

Guest Professor

Career

Ph.D. in Sport Psychology from the University of North Carolina at Greensboro. Graduated from Keio University and joined Sumitomo Corporation. Over 20 years of experience in the field of sport psychology. Also known for applying sport psychology in organizational development and human resource development in the business world.



MITOMO Toshimoto

Guest Professor

Career

Representative Corporate Executive Officer and CSO in charge of Legal, Compliance, Privacy, Intellectual Property, Business Strategy, Sustainability, External Relations, Business Incubation Platform, Creative Platform and Mobility Business of Sony Group Corporation. In addition, he heads Sony Innovation Fund which is Sony's corporate venture capital as Senior Investment Executive.



IWAMOTO Toshio

Guest Professor

Career

I graduated from the University of Tokyo's Faculty of Engineering in 1976 and joined NTT. I developed social infrastructure systems and promoted global business. I became Director in 2004, Senior Executive Officer in 2007, Vice President in 2009, President and CEO in 2012, Principal Executive Advisor in 2018, and Senior Advisor in 2024.



KRAFT Joseph Jr.

Guest Professor

Career

Graduated from the University of California, Berkeley. Currently CEO of Rorschach Advisory, a financial and socio-political research firm. Additionally, serving as Board of Director for Sony Group, Tokyo Electron and SBI FX Trade Inc and Strategic Advisor for NTT Docomo Global Inc. Specializes in Finance, Macro-economics, and Geopolitical risk management.



■ LECTURERS FROM OTHER INSTITUTES OF MEIJI UNIVERSITY

SHIMIZU Miyuki

Professor of Juris Doctor Course

Responsible for: Fundamentals to Labour Laws

HIRATA Atsushi

Professor of Juris Doctor Course

Responsible for: Fundamentals to Succession Laws

YAO Jun

Professor of Undergraduate School of Commerce

Responsible for: Fundamentals of Accounting

YAMAMOTO Masahiro

Professor of Undergraduate School of Commerce

Responsible for: International Accounting A,B

YOSHIMURA Koji

Dean of the Professional Graduate School, Professor of Graduate School of Professional Accountancy

Responsible for: Japanese Economics and Management

■ LECTURER

ISHIGAMI Rintaro

Lawyer, External directors of MEGURU Co., Ltd.

Responsible for: Corporate Legal Affairs

ITOH Tomohisa

Professor, School of Business Administration, Meisei University

Responsible for: Logical Thinking and Academic Writing

UEMATSU Shunichiro

Seconded to Mercer Investments Japan Co., Ltd., assigned to the Solutions Sales Department

Responsible for: Securities Investment

ENAMI Shigeto

President of OACD Co., Ltd.

Responsible for: Pension Management

OTSUKA Kumiko

President of QUALIA CONSULTING Inc.

Responsible for: Practical Management of Family Businesses

OGAWA Koji

Certified Public Tax Accountant BETT Firm,

OGAWA CPA Office, OGAWA LSSA Office

Responsible for: Accounting for SME's

ODAGIRI Naoto

Economic Analyst

Responsible for: Financial Systems, Business Communication

KATAYAMA Noriyuki

Partner, City-Yuwa Partners, Attorney-at-Law admitted in Japan and New York

Responsible for: Securitization Law

KATO Yukito

Representative Partner of Actus Tax Corporation

Responsible for: Introduction to Family Business

KARIYA Masaharu

Deloitte Tohmatsu Venture Support Co., Ltd.

Nextcore Department business development Unit manager and Deloitte Tohmatsu Human Resources Co., Ltd.

Venture Support Department Vice president

Responsible for: Business Innovation

KISHI Hirotoishi

Senior Principal, Nomura Research Institute, Ltd.

Responsible for: Logical Thinking and Academic Writing

KYO Eishi

Director, Lecturer of Graduate School of Professional Accountancy of Meiji University

Responsible for: International Accounting Practice

SATO Toshiro

Executive Officer of Jones Lang Lasalle

Responsible for: Global CRE Strategy Theory

SHIDA Naoaki

Representative Partner of Shida Investment & Management

Responsible for: Real Estate Development

SEKI Daichi

Certified Public Accountant of Japan, Auditor of Cyber Security Cloud, Inc.

Responsible for: Intellectual Capital Strategy

TAKAHASHI Atsushi

President of Takahashi Accounting Corporation

Responsible for: Accounting for Cash Flow Management

TAKAHASHI Kazumitsu

Representative of UDS Group

Responsible for: E-Commerce

TAKENOUCHI Takashi

Representative Director, Trend Trap Co.

Responsible for: Operation

TANAKA Chieko

Specialty Appointed Professor of Tokyo Professional University of Health Sciences, Lecturer of Ishikawa Prefectural Nursing University, CEO of Medica Co., Ltd.

Responsible for: Health Care Management, Health Care Marketing etc.

CHANG Connie

Professor, Department of Global Business, Musashino University.

Responsible for: International Marketing A, B

TSUCHIYA Kei

CEO of blkswn publishers, Inc. and NIHON SIGN Co., Ltd.

Responsible for: Corporate Strategy

TOMITA Ryuichi

President of Tomita Research Institute of Corporate Finance, Certified Public Accountant

Responsible for: Corporate Valuation

NAKA Mayami

Senior Consultant, COMTEC22 Co., Ltd.

Responsible for: Business Marketing

Marco PELLIZZER

President and CEO, American Express Global Business Travel Nippon Travel Agency

Responsible for: International Business, Global Business and Sustainability

HOSHINO Takuya

Chief Economist, Dai-ichi Life Research Institute Inc.

Responsible for: Personal Finance

MATSUSHITA Koji

Professor, Faculty of Economics, Gakushuin University

Responsible for: Consumer Behavior

MARUTA Toshimasa

Professor, College of Economics, Nihon University

Responsible for: Game Theory and Corporate Strategy

MIWA Elica

Theatre Director, Actor, Writer, Translator (English/Japanese)

Responsible for: Self-Expression (Presence)

MURAKI Shinji

Licensed Real Estate Appraiser, Real Estate Counselor, FRICS, Muraki Property Service Innovation Labo. Representative, Senior Advisor of Daiwa Real Estate Appraisal Co., Ltd.

Responsible for: Real Estate Practice and Tax System

(Family Business), Corporate Real Estate Strategic

Service Management, Thesis Tutorial 1&2

YASUMATSU Ken

Chief Assemblage Officer, Evolve Co., Ltd.

Responsible for: Fundamentals of Business AI

YAMANOKUCHI Tasuku

Brand Consultant

Responsible for: Data Driven Marketing

YOSHIHASHI Akio

Designship Education Division, General Incorporated Association

Responsible for: Design Thinking



Find more details
on our website.

[http://www.meiji.ac.jp/cip/
english/graduate/global/](http://www.meiji.ac.jp/cip/english/graduate/global/)



Internationally Accredited MBA Programme

First in Japan to receive EPAS accreditation (currently known as EFMD Accredited MBA) from EFMD accreditation body for business schools

■ Meiji University Business School (MBS) is the first business school in Japan to receive EPAS accreditation in 2018 from EFMD, a prestigious accreditation body for business schools (headquarters: Brussel, Belgium) and renewed it for the second time in 2024.

■ EFMD Accredited is a system to accredit a business school programme. The EPAS review board consisting of multi-national specialists assesses wide-ranging items as internationality, syllabus, strategies, quality of education and research of the programme. According to the assessment, the EFMD Programme Accreditation Board comprised of business schools and corporations from more than ten countries makes the final decision. We believe that MBS has been accredited as an EFMD Accredited MBA programme due to the installation of clusters specialized for education on the operation of family businesses and start-up businesses, clarification of ILOs (intended learning outcomes), installation of credited, short overseas field studies for students, an excellent instructional system from professors to students, all of which are based on Meiji University grand design.

■ We will continue to proactively interact with business schools with EFMD memberships from all over the world and exchange information, in order to solidify our position so that the MBA education offered by MBS meets or exceeds international standards in comprehensive practical education as well as in the specialized fields of family businesses and start-up businesses.



Has held full membership in the Association of Asia-Pacific Business Schools for an extended period of time.

■ The Association of Asia-Pacific Business Schools (AAPBS) is an organization established in 2001 for the purpose of mutual development and interaction of business schools in the Asia-Pacific region, and we have been deepening these relationships through the association's annual conference and symposium. This has helped us collect state-of-the-art knowledge and information about Asian business problems and education in Asia-Pacific business schools.



Overseas Field Study (Global Business Research)

■ MBS provides our students with about 4 overseas field study courses per year. Our students visit business schools and emerging startup business at the countries they visit and they proactively discuss with the faculty and students at the business schools and entrepreneurs of that companies to put into practice their knowledge and theories they learn in MBS. These courses can be included up to two courses (4 credits) into the required credits for graduation (46 credits).

*Cancelled in 2020 due to Covid-19

	Destination
2026 Plan	Portugal / China / Taiwan
2025	Thailand / Portugal / China / Taiwan / Sweden / Finland
2024	Thailand / Portugal / China / Taiwan / England / Netherlands
2023	Thailand / Portugal / Taiwan
2022	Thailand / Portugal
2021	Portugal (online) / China (online)
2019	Thailand / Republic of South Africa / Mongolia
2018	Thailand / Australia / Singapore / China / India



International Week with AESE Business School

■ Following the acquisition of international accreditation, EPAS (now EFMD Accredited), in 2018, a memorandum of understanding was concluded with AESE Business School, a prestigious business school in Portugal, in July 2020 deciding to implement mutual student exchange programmes (International Week). MBS students were sent to AESE Business School in Portugal in September 2023 and AESE Business School students were accepted and trained at Meiji University in February 2024.

International Week at AESE, Portugal

MBS gave a class using the case method as part of the pre-departure study before the trip. The case method is a teaching method that simulates the experience of corporate management through discussions among students about decision-making and concrete solutions to management-level issues that arised in actual companies. The students learnt how to think about cases in advance.

After that the students sent to AESE Business School enjoyed active discussions through AESE Excelling in Leadership Executive MBA Intensive Week Programme. Students from AESE Business School as well as many students from other business schools participated in the study, using cases that are also practiced at AESE Business School's sister school, IESE Business School.

International Week at Meiji, Tokyo

Students from AESE Business School were hosted by MBS for the programme. Under the theme of 'Japanese-style management and understanding of Japanese culture', the programme included lectures by the Portuguese Ambassador, a visit to Kanda Myojin Shrine, company visits and a wide range of other classes, as well as inviting many faculty members from other faculties of the University.

MBSN (MBS Network) is run by the alumni, and MBSN student committee is a student organization. They organize various activities with the goal of continuously providing a place of mutual interaction, socialization, collaboration, and learning.

MBS Network (Reunion)

Homecoming Day

Every year, MBSN sponsors “Homecoming Day.” Our alumni, professors, and students participate in lectures and gatherings. There will also be lectures by the instructors and alumni during this event, allowing a renewed recognition of the importance of continuing to learn after graduation, as well as nurturing interest in continued education and research.

The MBS programme is only two years long, but this gathering will continue annually in order to allow MBS to become a lifelong resource through various events, even after graduation.



MBSN Students Committee

Welcome Party / Graduation Celebration Party

A “Welcome Party” will be held to socialize with new students who have just entered MBS.

In addition to students, instructors and alumni will attend to celebrate the arrival of the new cohort who will enliven MBS in the coming years.

Also, a “Graduation Celebration Party” will be held in graduation season. The graduates will wear graduation gowns, reflect on the future and their two years in the programme, and spread their wings as they tie the friendships and bonds that they have nurtured at MBS.



Family Business & Start-up Business Get-together

Our students and alumni in the family business and start-up clusters regularly gather and have a get-together including panel discussions and a networking party. The students and alumni in a particular area and the faculty members meet and hold discussions from diversified standpoints in order to share knowledge.

MBS Tax Law Study Group

Most graduates of the MBS Tax Law faculty seminars go on to register as certified tax accountants after completing the program, pursuing successful careers either as members of tax accounting firms or as independent practitioners.

The MBS Tax Law Study Group was established to provide these alumni with up-to-date information on the latest developments in tax legislation and court decisions, as well as to offer a valuable opportunity to build and strengthen networks among peers, senior alumni, and junior members.

Several times a year, we invite guest speakers from both within and outside the university to deliver lectures.

These lectures are followed by social gatherings, which further promote interaction and deepen professional relationships among participants.



MBS Club Activities

Meiji Family Business Club

Many members of MBS have major influence on company management. The Family Business Club was established to provide opportunities for MBS students to share information and know-how on dealing with challenges that are unique to family businesses and working toward the development of family businesses. A variety of seminar-style study sessions are held frequently on topics such as inheritance and tax reduction measures in business succession, as well as financing issues. The club fully utilizes its numerous connections to company presidents, through holding study sessions and social gatherings. A major goal is to go beyond academic study, toward supporting the development of family business practices in Japan through company managers and members who have an influence on management.



MBS C3 (Case Competition Club)

The MBS Case Competition Club (MBS C3) was established in November 2014. This club participates in national and international business competitions and has monthly themed discussions and study sessions with our advisor, Prof. Fujioka. In the 2023 Japan Business Case Competition, they made it to the finals for the first time in three years. Through these activities, students are able to consolidate their knowledge in a practical way and expand their personal network within MBS.



Chinese Language Study Group

This study group was established in May 2015 by Chinese international students at MBS, for the study of the Chinese language and business interactions. This community of Japanese and international students at MBS plans various events, such as studying Chinese (including the Chinese-language proficiency test) and special lectures off campus on Chinese culture.

GUIDE TO FACILITIES

Cutting-edge facilities surrounded by a unique and rich environment in the center of Tokyo, Japan

MBS stands in the Meiji University Surugadai Campus, a location appropriate for the education of business professionals. The facilities offer various accommodations.

Campus

Surugadai Campus and its exceptional accessibility

MBS is located in the Surugadai Campus, which is the headquarters of the traditional Meiji University. The courses are founded on the concept of “the basis for continuing education open to society” and are held on the “Academy Common,” which is the new symbol of Meiji University from April 2004. The 11-floor building, with two floors underground, offers a rich lineup of the latest facilities. It is highly accessible, being close to the JR line as well as five subway lines. Business people are able to comfortably travel to campus during their busy lives. In addition, the Academy Common offers wireless LAN connections.



Graduate Students Shared Research Room

Joint research room for the Internet age (Building No. 14)

The MBS joint research room for graduate independent study has power outlets on all seats and allows computer use for students at all times. It is possible for students to freely search for information, library resources, online journals, and external databases on the Internet. It also features lockers, copy machines, as well as open printer services. (Open 7:00 am to 11:00 pm)



Library (Surugadai Campus)

Library with 2.6 million book holdings

The library holdings across all Meiji University campuses total 2.6 million books. The Central Library (12,485 sq. m., 1,278 seats) in the Surugadai Campus boasts an impressive gallery of knowledge, with 1.2 million books and 16,000 newspapers and journals, as well as microfilms, CD-ROMs, and other digital resources. The catalog database allows students to use the OPAC (Online Public Access Catalog) system, and they can freely use various academic databases such as LEXIS-NEXIS, a fundamental library database.



EXAM GUIDE / STUDENT DATA

ENTRANCE EXAM INFORMATION

Enrollment Quota

85 students (Total of I term, II term, and Autumn Term)

Selection Methods

- 1) Evaluation of application documents (submitted documents including the Statement of Academic Plans)
- 2) Interviews (about 15 minutes per person)

* For further details, please visit our admission website.

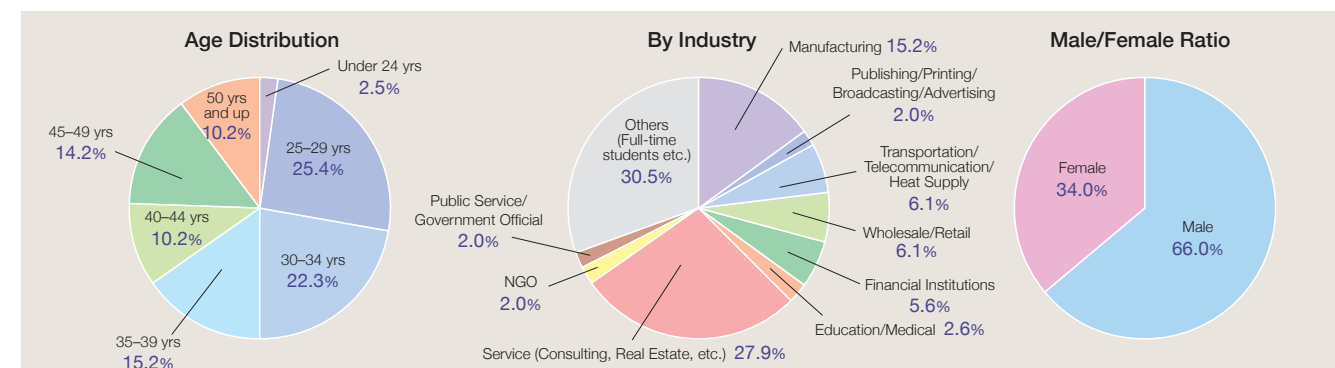


ENTRANCE EXAM SCHEDULE (plan)

Enroll in	April	September
Exam	I term	II term
Language	Japanese	Japanese
Exam date	Mid of Nov.	From Early to Mid of Feb.
Accept Application during	From Early to Mid of Oct.	From Mid to End of Jan.

* Find the detail on our Homepage.

OUR STUDENTS BREAKDOWN IN 2025



TUITION

	Two year total
Entrance fees	JPY 200,000
Tuition, Education enrichment fees	JPY 3,160,000
Student health insurance mutual aid group fees	JPY 6,000
Total	JPY 3,366,000

* Tuition & Education enrichment fees will be paid by semester.

DONATED COURSES

MBS has partnerships with several Corporations in order to provide cutting edge business knowledge to our students.

- “Tax Management (Business Succession, M&A, Asset Succession)” donated by Yamada Consulting Group Co., Ltd.
- “Strategy for CFO and M&A Accounting” donated by CaN International
- “ESG Investment and ESG Management” donated by TESS Holdings Co., Ltd.