Imagine how far you can go. SFU Beedie’s Part-Time MBA program is designed for ambitious working professionals. The program complements your busy schedule; the majority of study takes place in the evenings to allow you to focus on your full-time career and busy personal life.

No matter how you look at it, our Part-Time MBA program will enrich your life. Because it is designed to blend seamlessly with your full-time career, you can ease into school right from work.

Our classes are small so you really get to know your cohort. You’ll have countless opportunities to engage outside the classroom, enriching your professional and personal life and establishing a close-knit, vibrant network.

The Part-Time MBA is delivered at the cutting-edge SFU Surrey campus, which is easily accessible via rapid transit from almost anywhere in Metro Vancouver.

ABOUT SFU BEEDIE

Simon Fraser University’s Beedie School of Business has a heritage of innovation. We offered the first Executive MBA in Canada and the first Management of Technology MBA in the country. We are among the top 1% of business schools worldwide with dual accreditation by AACSB and EQUIS, and ranked in the top 10 schools to study business in Canada by Maclean’s Magazine in 2017.

Today, SFU Beedie has more than 25,000 alumni in 83 countries. SFU Beedie’s Segal Graduate School offers nine graduate programs delivered through the Segal campus in downtown Vancouver and the state-of-the-art SFU campus in Surrey, in the heart of Metro Vancouver.
MAKE PROGRESS WITHOUT PAUSING

Classes take place two nights a week on Monday and Thursday evenings from 6:00-9:30, with occasional weekend intensive classes per semester, leaving the majority of your weekends free so you can maintain a work/life balance.

APPLY WHAT YOU LEARN AS YOU LEARN IT

Because our Part-Time MBA is designed for those who are working full time, you can continue to invest in your career. In fact, past students have found one of the greatest benefits of the program is bringing school to work. And bringing work to school.

What you learn in the classroom today you can apply at work tomorrow, giving you new skills, knowledge and experience in the process.

In the Part-Time MBA you won’t have to wait to advance your career.

“The Part-Time MBA was excellent. It gave me exactly what I expected to receive, and I think that is the highest compliment you can pay a program. It met all my expectations and provided a solid grounding in business skills and strategies.”

– Oliver Zihlmann, MBA 2018
Director of Development and Alumni Engagement
UBC Faculty of Pharmaceutical Sciences
As an SFU Beedie MBA student, you’ll have as many opportunities for learning outside the classroom as inside. From joining professional associations to attending exclusive events and participating in case competitions, you’ll find a host of opportunities to complement your learning experience.

**CROSS-CULTURAL EXPERIENCE**
As part of the core curriculum, visit First Nations communities and industries to gain a better understanding of how Indigenous protocols, decision making, and history impact business and partnerships across BC.

**CASE COMPETITIONS**
Compete with MBA students around the globe to solve real-world business challenges on topics such as leadership, sustainability, analytics, and diversity & inclusion. With a dedicated training program and financial support, you’ll be ready to compete with the best, network with industry professionals, and apply your successes at work.

**MBA GAMES**
Participate in the action-packed National MBA Games, an intensive intercollegiate event that brings together MBA students from across Canada. From case competitions, to sporting events, to school spirit, it’s a highlight of the program for everyone involved.

In preparation for the National MBA Games, BC business schools also participate in the BC MBA Games, an innovative weekend where competitors engage in academic, athletic, and spirit events. The BC MBA Games are an opportunity for students to connect with fellow students and business leaders from across the province.

**CONFERENCES AND EVENTS**
Attend numerous events throughout the program including guest lecturers, industry conferences, and workshops to expand your business community and enhance your networking skills. With a dedicated funding application for MBA students, attend an event that complements your professional growth.

**STUDENT CLUBS**
Co-create your journey and join one of SFU Beedie’s student managed clubs. The Graduate Business Student Association plays an active role in the leadership of our school. From program feedback to creating social and educational events, the executive team works to continuously improve the SFU Beedie student experience.

The SFU Beedie Net Impact chapter is dedicated to sustainability and empowers students to become future-focused and responsible business leaders by hosting an annual case competition and event opportunities to learn from industry experts. The Graduate Women’s Council strives to empower women to lead and succeed in the workplace. The executive council pledges to work toward a more inclusive and equal society through networking opportunities, workshops, and access to external events.

**ENTREPRENEURSHIP AND SOCIAL INNOVATION**
Thinking of starting your own business? You’ve come to the right place. From incubation to acceleration, SFU provides a continuum of resources and support for startups. An event introducing MBA students to these innovation hubs is offered annually.

Coast Capital Savings Venture Connection® offers Mentor Meet sessions to explore your start-up idea with an experienced entrepreneur, and entrepreneurship training and resources to move an initial idea through to validation. VentureLabs® is a business accelerator focused on structured growth and best practices for growth stage startups. RADIUS (Radical Ideas Into Useful Solutions) offers validation and growth stage programs for entrepreneurs and ventures looking to help solve pressing social problems. Take part in experiential learning events such as a new product development simulation, where students work together in multifunctional teams to design and build a drone delivery service, to explore the blurred lines of responsibility that can exist within the innovation sphere.
Students in the Part-Time MBA participate in dynamic classroom experiences in which faculty provide leadership in understanding business at both practical and theoretical levels. In addition, faculty have real world expertise which enables them to facilitate interactive learning on topics relevant to managers and leaders.

— Dianne Cyr, PhD (UBC) Professor of Management and Information Systems

Chosen for their commitment to teaching, our faculty are also renowned worldwide for their cutting-edge academic research. Our professors and instructors also bring years of industry, management, and career experience to help you prepare for your own.

Dara Kelly, PhD
(University of British Columbia)
ASSISTANT PROFESSOR

Dr. Dara Kelly is from the Leq’á:mel First Nation, part of the Stó:lō Coast Salish. Her research interests focus on Indigenous economic development, ancestral leadership, and Coast Salish freedom and unfreedom and the Capabilities Approach. Dara earned her PhD at the Auckland School of Business where she was a Researcher with the Mira Szászy Research Centre for Māori and Pacific Economic Development. In addition to research, she has professional experience in leadership development programming. Currently she is working on the Coastal First Nations (CFN) Legacy Project conducting oral history reviews to capture the core values of the CFN and develop case studies that will highlight key organizational challenges and successes from the perspective of those communities.

Andrew Harries, MBA
(Simon Fraser University)
TOM FOORD PROFESSOR OF PRACTICE IN ENTREPRENEURSHIP AND INNOVATION

Mr. Harries, an SFU Beedie MBA graduate, is the founder of multiple ventures, including Sierra Wireless, a wireless Internet of Things (IoT) solutions vendor. He is also the board chair of Bsquare, an IoT software solutions provider. Mr. Harries helps connect Vancouver’s dynamic entrepreneurial community with SFU’s burgeoning entrepreneurship and innovation ecosystem.

Gervase Bushe, PhD
(Case Western Reserve University)
PROFESSOR OF LEADERSHIP AND ORGANIZATION DEVELOPMENT, MANAGEMENT AND ORGANIZATION STUDIES

In 2016 Dr. Bushe was added to HR Magazine’s list of the 30 most influential HR thinkers in the world. He studies organizational change, organizational learning, leadership and leadership development, teams and team building, change agents and change agency. He has twice won the Douglas McGregor Award for his research and has an extensive background in helping leaders create great organizations.
Our curriculum is comprised of innovative, standout courses incorporating everything from Indigenous perspectives to sustainability. Learning is primarily case-based, so you can develop a deeper understanding of the real-world challenges facing businesses of all types. Through simulations we give you the opportunity to be the hypothetical decision-maker so you have an opportunity to evaluate a challenge from different angles.

RAMP UP FOR SUCCESS
In November and December, before classes begin in January, you’ll complete the MBA Boot Camp and Program Orientation offered online via Canvas, our Learning Management System. The self-paced, Program Orientation will introduce you to all of the resources available to you as a graduate student, while the instructor-led Boot Camp is designed to ease your entry into graduate studies and prepare you for success in the Part-Time MBA program.

START EXPANDING YOUR NETWORK
Our Part-Time MBA program kicks off with a welcome reception at our Surrey campus in December. During this evening event, you’ll be introduced to the program team, our faculty and most importantly, your fellow classmates.

YEAR 1
As the pace of change accelerates, organizations must adapt or re-invent themselves to remain relevant to their stakeholders, and to live up to the legitimate expectations of the societies in which they operate. In Year 1, you’ll consider challenges facing leaders today and start building a tool kit for business and professional decision-making.

SPRING 2021
Business Ethics
Managing People & Organizations
Financial and Managerial Accounting

SUMMER 2021
Indigenous Business Environments in Community
Indigenous Business Environments
Special Topics in Business
Business Analytics

FALL 2021
Sustainability
Managerial Finance

YEAR 2
In the second year, you’ll focus on developing skills and strategies to move your creative ideas into your organization, the market, and society.

SPRING 2022
Business Innovation and Creativity
Marketing Management
Entrepreneurship

SUMMER 2022
Managing Information
Operations Management
Negotiations

FALL 2022
Managerial Economics
Business Strategy
Leading Self and Others

PURSUE A RIGOROUS CURRICULUM
You’re not alone. Our Career Management Centre provides Part-Time MBA candidates with personalized career guidance and support. You will have a dedicated career advisor who will provide you with customized support, useful resources and tools, career-building skills to help you stand out, and opportunities to network with industry professionals. You will get all the support you need to level up in your career.

PERSONALIZED CAREER PLANNING
How can you capitalize on opportunities for advancement? Through a process of self-evaluation, reflection, and planning, all of which are key elements of our Part-Time MBA.

MENTORS IN BUSINESS
With more than 300 members, ours is the largest business mentorship program in Western Canada. Tap into their network and expand your own.

GRADUATE MANAGEMENT CONSULTING CAREER PREPARATION (GMCCP) PROGRAM
The GMCCP focuses on introducing graduate students to the basics of preparing for a case interview. During this program you will be exposed to the case interview format and will practice some of the key skills that need to be mastered in order to be successful during a case interview. The program will focus on structured analysis, logical reasoning, and client focused communication. Topics covered will include how to structure a case interview, mental math, issue trees, interpreting visual information and effective presentations. Guest speakers and consultants will be invited to provide further insight into consulting and case interviews.

“My education allowed me to gain a more holistic view of the concerns of stakeholders and other departments, in order to be more critical in the decision-making process.”

– Vanessa Fors, MBA 2016
Category Manager, Mustang Survival and Founder, ApparelCamp
The cohort in our Part-Time MBA program is small, allowing you to develop meaningful, long-lasting relationships with your peers. In fact, thanks to all the teamwork and co-curricular engagement opportunities, many find their fellow candidates remain friends and associates long after graduation.

SAMPLE INDUSTRY BACKGROUNDS
Accounting, Entrepreneur, Banking & Finance, Public & Social Service, Education, Food & Hospitality, Construction, Healthcare, Geology, Engineering, Marketing, Consulting, Logistics, Transportation, Public Administration, Nanofabrication, Sales, Retail, Procurement, Contracting, Security, Property Assessment, Law

RANGE OF PROFESSIONAL DESIGNATIONS
PMP, P.Eng, CPA, ACCA, CHRP, SCMP, CFA, J.D, CGA, MD

CITY OF RESIDENCE
Burnaby, Coquitlam, Delta, Langley, New Westminster, North Vancouver, Abbotsford, Maple Ridge, Pitt Meadows, Port Coquitlam, Port Moody, Richmond, Surrey, Vancouver

EXPAND YOUR PERSONAL AND PROFESSIONAL NETWORK

40% female
60% male

12 average work experience years
35 average age

5 typical management experience years
15% have master’s degrees

600 average GMAT score
50 maximum class size

*Average class profile
When you graduate from our Part-Time MBA program, you’ll have a deeper understanding of the essentials of business from countless different vantage points. You’ll be armed with a personalized career plan and have the skills to achieve it. Plus, you’ll establish an invaluable network of industry leaders.

Here’s what it takes to get into the program.

**APPLICATION PROCESS**
- Complete the online application form
- Required supporting documents:
  - Official transcripts
  - GMAT or GRE (if applicable)
  - Essays
  - Resume
  - 2 letters of reference
  - English language score (if applicable)
- Interview for shortlisted candidates

**ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS**
- Undergraduate degree with a 3.0 CGPA
- 4 years of full-time work experience with some management experience
- GMAT may be recommended for some candidates
- Proficiency in English for ESL candidates: TOEFL 93+ or IELTS 7+

**SPRING 2021 APPLICATION DEADLINES**
- Round 1: June 24, 2020
- Round 2: August 26, 2020
- Final Round: October 21, 2020

**TUITION**
Tuition for the 2021-2022 academic year: $42,100*
*Subject to Board of Governors approval

**FEES**
- Student fees: $2,300
- Course materials: $920 - $1,220
- Cross-cultural project fee: $250

**CONNECT**
To speak with an advisor, register for an information session, connect with Beedie alumni, or arrange to visit a class, please contact us at 778.782.5259 or email mbasurrey@sfu.ca.

**PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS**

**STUDY AT THE SFU SURREY CAMPUS**
Designed by Iling Thom, the SFU Surrey campus is an architectural marvel. The home base of our Part-Time MBA program, its amenities are cutting-edge, its public spaces awe-inspiring. Conveniently, SFU Surrey is also a centrally located, easily accessed hub in BC’s fastest-growing city.

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