

You're ready to take your career to the next level. Now you *can* with the Simmons 16-month MBA program. It's flexible, fast paced, and customized to fit your needs.

With our rigorous program, you'll get all the benefits of a traditional, full-time MBA program, including an opportunity to do an internship or study abroad in a compressed amount of time – which means less time away from the workforce for you.

As with any demanding MBA course of study, our program focuses on developing the essential business and management skills so critical to succeed in today's global workplace:

- > Core skills needed to chart a path to leadership;
- > Analytical skills to deal with complex management issues;
- > Fundamental skills to learn how to leverage technology for strategic advantage.

PROGRAM OPTIONS

- Accelerated 16-month program
- 12-month program for experienced professionals
- Two and three year part-time programs
- MBA Certificates in Entrepreneurship and Health Care Administration
- MBA/MSW Coordinated Degree

We offer numerous courses, with a mix of daytime, evening, and weekend options.

“I found the program to be rigorous and the professors demanding, and I was immediately able to apply what I was learning to my work at Gillette, which made my efforts worthwhile.”

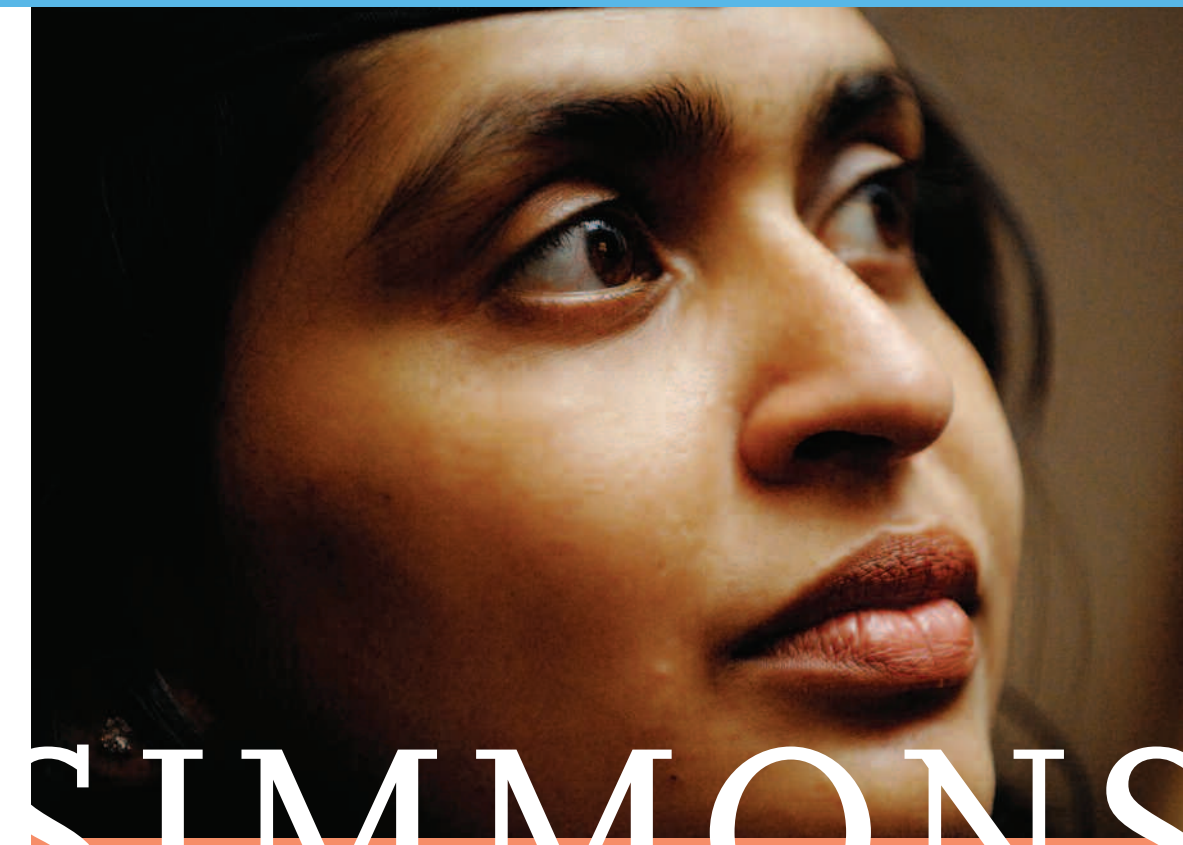
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16-month MBA

Giving you the flexibility to accelerate, enhance, and transform your career

Educating Women For Power and Principled Leadership

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THE SIMMONS DIFFERENCE

Simmons School of Management offers the leading MBA program in the U.S. designed specifically to enhance career and leadership success for women.

Our graduates call the Simmons program transformational. *Entrepreneur* magazine calls it innovative. *Business Week Online* says it's a model program for women with busy lives. The Aspen Institute*, *The Princeton Review*, and *Fortune Small Business* applaud us for our programs in corporate responsibility and entrepreneurship.

WHAT ELSE DOES THE SIMMONS 16-MONTH MBA PROGRAM OFFER?

- A rigorous curriculum that uses the case study method pioneered by Harvard Business School;
- A hands-on approach to learning where students address real-life business challenges through internships and consulting projects;
- Access to life-long career advising, as well as an exceptional career placement record at some of the top companies and organizations in the world;
- A distinguished faculty who integrate practical experience with academic expertise;
- A state-of-the-art, green-designed academic facility to be completed in 2008;
- And cutting-edge research that underpins everything we do.

If a faster pace is more your style, our 12-month program is also available for the seasoned business professional. Both the 16-month and 12-month programs require 48 credit hours – 40 in required courses, and eight in electives. Same courses. Same cost. Same curriculum.



* The Aspen Institute, founded in 1950, is an international nonprofit organization dedicated to fostering enlightened leadership and open-minded dialogue.



A Program as Diverse as Our Student Base

Our students are a diverse, career-focused group. They are seasoned managers, as well as career changers who come from Fortune 500 corporations, nonprofit organizations, and government agencies. But their goals are the same: to acquire the skills, confidence, and connections to advance their careers to the next level or in a new direction.

The Simmons classroom experience addresses real-life business challenges and sets a tone of collaborative competition. Learning takes place through case discussions, team projects, and live presentations, and is supplemented by podcasts, hybrid courses, and compressed courses. This unique mix ensures a maximum learning experience that empowers students to excel inside as well as outside of the classroom, and, at the same time, earn a real return on their educational investment.

Connections to Advance Your Career

Connected. Networked. Engaged. They're not just buzz words at the Simmons School of Management. They are key components that add up to a successful experience which begins in the classroom and continues throughout your career. We are more than proud of the remarkable, dynamic women who comprise our network, as well as the strategic partnerships we enjoy with them.

Our graduates hold powerful positions at leading-edge companies like Hewlett-Packard, EMC, Procter & Gamble, Pfizer, PricewaterhouseCoopers, State Street, Bank of America, and Blue Cross Blue Shield. And, they play an integral part in our day-to-day program as facilitators, speakers, and mentors – which means our students are able to form relationships that last long after their classroom work is done. It's a powerful combination with implications that reach far beyond the campus.

The Added Dimension at Simmons

Not only does the Simmons MBA program prepare you for what is expected, we also prepare you for the unexpected – with training in negotiation, communication, career strategies, and something more: how to deal with issues particular to women. This component shows students how workplace interactions can shape their careers and leadership opportunities. It teaches them how to develop effective strategies within an organization, and helps them address the real-life challenges that exist in the workplace.

It is this added dimension that gives our graduates a leg up in today's competitive global environment. And, it's the extra edge they need to lead in today's diverse workplace.



“You can continue to educate yourself on the newest topics in business, but at the end of the day, the relationships you make are one of the most valuable things you'll get from your experience at Simmons.”

JENNIFER ELLERT TRZEPACZ '00, VICE PRESIDENT OF HUMAN RESOURCES, ELECTRONIC ARTS

To attend an information session or to schedule an informational interview, please contact the Simmons School of Management Admission Office at 617-521-3840 or somadm@simmons.edu