Our partnership with the University of Hertfordshire (UH) offers an affordable pathway for you to complete an MSc in International Business in as little as 15 months. Begin your studies at UCR in the Postgraduate Diploma in Business Management program, and complete your Master's degree in an accredited, highly respected program in England.

Why Choose University of Hertfordshire?
Located 20 miles from London's city center, University of Hertfordshire (UH) is the “UK's leading business-facing university.” Began in 1952, UH is student-centered, entrepreneurial and has students from 100 countries with a global network of 16,500 alumni. UH is in “the top 100 most international universities in the world” (QS World rankings).

The University's Business School helps management students to develop real projects and have access to international partnerships. UH also organizes professional networking events for its students with close proximity to the heart of international business—London.

UH is located in Hatfield, just a 25-minute train journey from central London. Visit the British Museum, Big Ben, or the Theatre district. Join a group trip arranged by UH to visit Stonehenge, Cambridge, and other major European cities.

MSc IB Unique Program Features
- Earn your Master's Degree with an Additional Six Months of Coursework after the Postgraduate Diploma: Eligible students can apply Diploma coursework to the UH Master's program as one full semester of credit, leaving you to complete one semester and a dissertation to earn your Master's degree.
- Option to Complete Your Dissertation From Home: Spend a minimum of 4 months in greater London completing your Master's program coursework. Then, choose to finish your dissertation in the UK or from home.
- Housing is a 3-Minute Walk From Class: Stay in a single dorm room with private bathroom and access to a shared kitchen. Estimated Housing Cost: Approximately $200 per week or $800 per month.
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How It Works

UCR Postgraduate Diploma in Business Management

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Complete your Postgraduate Diploma with a minimum GPA of 70% and apply to the UH Master’s degree program. Applications will be evaluated on an individual basis.

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**F-1 INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS**

Optional Practical Training

Upon successful completion of the Postgraduate Diploma program at the end of Quarter 3, qualified students may apply for authorization to stay in the U.S. and gain up to one year (12 months) of paid work experience at an American company.

Who Can Attend the Postgraduate Diploma Program:

- For non-native speakers, advanced English language is required: TOEFL 550 PBT, 80 iBT; IELTS 6.5; or the equivalent. If you do not have sufficient English skills to attend this program, you may join an English language program first.
- Bachelor’s degree (or equivalent combination of academic & management experience) required.
- No GMAT or management experience required.
- This program requires an F-1 visa for international applicants.

Who Can Apply for the Master’s Program:

- Complete your Postgraduate Diploma program with a minimum GPA of 70%.
- Completion of the Postgraduate Diploma program does not guarantee admission to a Master’s degree program. Students will apply to the Master’s degree program and their application will be evaluated on an individual basis.

How Long? How Much?

**Postgraduate Program Start Dates**

- 2017 Winter: January 2, 2017
- 2017 Spring: March 27, 2017
- 2017 Fall: September 25, 2017

**MSc Program Start Dates**

- January 2018
- September 2018
- January 2019
- September 2019

**Program Length**

15 months total (9 month PGD + 6 month MSc completion)

**Cost Estimate**

- Additional Fees for Master’s Completion: $12,500 USD (2017-2018)**

*Please note that all Master's program fees are approximate. Exact tuition and fees are in home country's currency and this USD conversion is based on current exchange rates. As such, fee amount may vary.

For more information about UCR IEP, Postgraduate Diplomas or Master’s Pathways, visit: http://www.iep.ucr.edu/masters

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