Management and International Business

This year (2021) is the last intake in the Master’s admissions for the MIB programme in its current form. Starting from autumn 2022, the current programme will be divided into two more focused programmes:

(1) People Management and Organizational Development and
(2) Strategic Management in a Changing World.

Descriptions of the two new programmes will be published in aalto.fi, and more detailed information in into.aalto.fi in spring 2022.

What does this mean to current students in the MIB programme?

Students currently in the MIB programme have two options:

1. To complete the MIB programme in its current form. The Programme will be run without changes in 2021 – 2022. Then, even though the programme itself will be discontinued, you will be offered a selection of courses that will ensure that the learning outcomes of the current programme are met. Some of the existing courses will continue in the new programmes, some will be substituted with courses of the new programmes. Detailed information of each course is available in the spring 2022. Graduating from the MIB programme is possible until July 31, 2024. In this way, you will have sufficient time and opportunity to complete and graduate from the MIB programme.

2. Starting from the autumn 2022 you will have an opportunity to transfer to one of the new programmes directly if you prefer them over the MIB Programme. Please note that it is not possible to transfer during the academic year 2021-2022. Please also note that many of the core courses will be the same or equivalent in the current MIB Programme and the two new programmes. For most students graduating from the MIB programme is the preferable option.

What does this mean to current students in the BSc programmes planning to continue in MIB?

BSc students graduating by July 31, 2022 can continue their studies towards a master’s degree in the MIB programme. BSc students planning to continue in the MIB programme have three options depending on the date of the graduation:

1. Especially students graduating in 2021 and continuing in the MIB programme will have sufficient time and opportunity to graduate from the MIB programme and can follow the instructions above in the section 1.

2. Students graduating in spring 2022 and continuing in the MIB programme might want to transfer to either of the new programmes in autumn 2022 and we advise to follow the instructions in the section 2 above. However, they can also graduate from the MIB programme until July 31, 2024.

3. Students graduating August 2022 or later will choose either of the new programmes to continue their studies towards a Master’s degree.

More information of the new programmes and changes in course portfolio will be available in aalto.fi and into.aalto.fi as the planning continues during spring 2021 and the academic year 2021 – 2022.

Description of the programme

Master's Programme in Management and International Business (MIB) is organized by the School of Business. At the heart of the programme is a practically grounded and research-based understanding of management and international business. The MIB Programme gives you current management and leadership skills combined with a holistic understanding of business that enable you to tackle the challenges posed by the rapidly changing digitalized environment. We offer you an international and interactive study environment where you can develop yourself into a highly capable professional with widely applicable knowledge. In our challenge-based courses, we work closely with diverse organizations and business people offering you the latest insights as well as live cases to solve.

The Master’s Programme in Management and International Business is a flexible programme that gives you the opportunity to create a unique professional profile based on your interests. You can tailor your own course portfolio or select from the suggested specialization paths:

- Human Resource Management
- International Business
- Organizational Communication
- Strategy Work
- Sustainability Management

In addition to the specialization options in the MIB Master’s programme, the multi-disciplinarity of Aalto University allows you to add to your unique professional profile by choosing an interesting minor among the various subjects in Aalto University, or abroad.

Employment opportunities

As a graduate of the Master’s Programme in MIB, you will have broad career prospects in the culturally diverse and competitive global labour market. Our graduates often take up entry-level positions in consultancy, human resources, and management and communications, and choose inspiring paths to top positions, such as director, country manager, project leader or entrepreneur. Hybrid careers are becoming increasingly common and the programme encourages dynamic career choices.

Here you can find the degree requirements of the programme, and the necessary information about completing the degree and its contents. These pages are mainly aimed at the students of the programme. If you are thinking about applying to the programme please see How to apply.

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