



MBA/MIM (Master of Business Administration/Master of International Management)

The MBA/MIM, a joint venture between the Eller MBA program and Thunderbird School of Global Management enables students interested in careers in international management to complete the MBA/MIM in two and a half years.

Dual degree candidates start out in the Eller MBA program, and apply for admission to Thunderbird during the summer between their first and second years. Successful applicants transfer to Thunderbird in the Spring of their second year, after completing 41 units of MBA course work.

Degree Requirements

MBA Degree requirements: 56 units of course work

MIM Degree requirements: 30 units of course work

Dual Degree Requirements

41 units of MBA course work (all core courses, plus elective credits)

15 units of MIM course work (counted as 15 units toward Eller MBA)**

15 units of MIM course work

71 units

**15 units of MIM course work can be counted toward the MBA

Language requirements:

Native English speakers (citizens of the US, Canada, UK, and Australia) must complete **6 hours** of foreign language course work. The language courses begin at 4025 level and have a prerequisite 1001/1002 level. Students must successfully test out of the 1001/1002 level courses, or take a Thunderbird intensive language program, in order to begin languages at the 4025 level. Students can get a head start by taking 6-8 credit hours of language course work at the UofA during the MBA program. Please note that those credits will not count toward the MBA degree.

However, if language skills are strong enough, the language requirement at Thunderbird may be reduced from 6 to 3 hours. The remaining 3 hours may then be taken as an elective.

Internship:

After one semester at Thunderbird, students may complete a one-semester internship in the U.S. or abroad, which extends time to graduation by one semester. For more information, please visit the Thunderbird website: <http://www.t-bird.edu>