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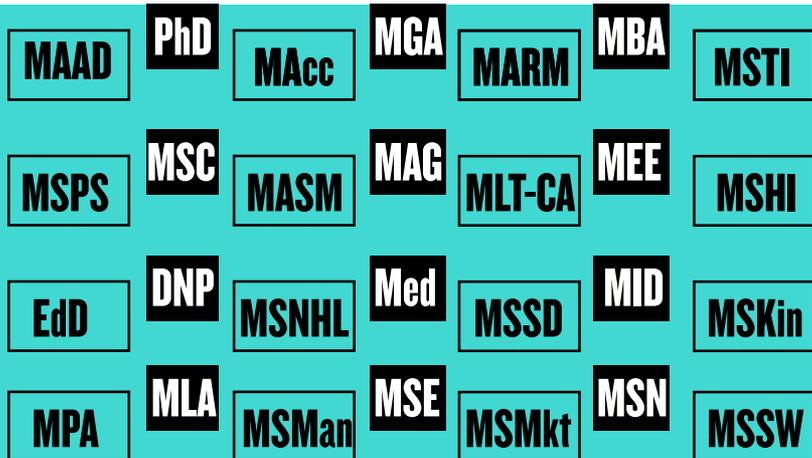
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Exploring your next steps beyond graduation can be overwhelming. If you're trying to narrow down your Graduate School options, we can help.

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Virtual Graduate School Fair
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UT's Graduate School Fair Helps Students Keep Their Education Plans on Track



The pandemic has us all shifting, moving and innovating. Students and educational institutions are finding new ways to teach and learn, share information, and build new skills. These adaptations are evident in the UT Austin Graduate School Fair which will be as productive and helpful as ever this year as a virtual event on Tuesday, October 13 from 10 AM-2 PM.

Over 100 graduate schools and test prep services will be participating in the Graduate School Fair. Students can set up appointments with recruiters and representatives to meet virtually to learn more and express interest in applying for the programs. Advance registration is required and free for students to sign up for one-on-one meetings and group sessions. Texas programs will be well represented, along with school recruiters from coast to coast and around the world.

Attending the Graduate Fair is one strategy students can use to keep their careers advancing at a steady pace. All majors are welcome, and it doesn't matter how many hours of undergraduate studies you've completed—it's never too early to start exploring your options for advanced degrees. The Daily Tex-

an recently reported that UT now has a 70% four-year completion rate for undergrads. This points to a motivated population at our top-ranked university.

Connect with Handshake

The Graduate Coordinators Network and Texas Student Media are hosting the virtual Graduate School Fair, which will be held on Handshake, an online platform for targeted interactions. While Handshake was initially developed to recruit students for jobs and internships, the app is now evolving not just for Career Fairs but to connect students with graduate programs, too.

All UT Austin students have free access to Handshake, but you'll need to claim your account if you haven't already. Once you've completed that step, you'll need to register for the Graduate Fair and select your sessions to learn more about the programs and answer your questions. This is a chance to make a first impression through an interactive experience via video, audio and chat.

Remote Connections are Here to Stay

The pandemic is altering the ways of the workforce now,

and also for the future. Virtual connections will continue to be much more common. Knowing how to use platforms like Handshake will be essential. Knowing how to present yourself remotely could give you an edge in your educational journey and later in the job market.

Plan Your Grad Fair Experience

Start early – now, even. Look at the list of programs in your fields of interest. Research online to find professor information and program details. Move on to job market data and information about the city and region of schools.

Activate your Handshake account right away. Then you can make appointments and join sessions with your schools of interest. Bring a list of questions to each appointment and let the recruiters know you're serious about laying the groundwork for your future.

Get more information about graduate schools and sign up for the Graduate School Fair at graduatesoftexas.com. This site has links to Handshake and is your primary access portal to everything you'll need for the Graduate School Fair. Good luck and Hook 'em!

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List of Participating Programs Subject to Change

Texas McCombs One-Year Master's Degrees



Texas McCombs is more than just a business school. It's a place to learn, grow, make connections and network, and ultimately it launches meaningful and successful careers.

Students can choose between five one-year specialized master's programs offered in the McCombs School of Business. These programs are top-ranked in their fields and taught by leading research faculty in the areas of data analytics, finance, accounting, marketing, and emerging technologies (including blockchain and cybersecurity).

These five programs are open to students with a bachelor's degree (or in their final year of undergrad) in any major, and no work experience is required to apply. In as little as ten months, students can earn the following master's degrees from Texas McCombs:

- Master in Professional Accounting
- Master of Science in Marketing
- Master of Science in Information Technology & Management
- Master of Science in Finance
- Master of Science in Business Analytics

Taking a closer look at the one-year master's programs, the **Master in Professional Accounting** program offers a solid accounting foundation in taxation, auditing, financial reporting, and data analytics. Students can enroll in various accounting and MBA electives, as well choose between four track options that are tailored to meet an individual's career goals.

Students interested in a data-driven master's degree that combines traditional, qualitative marketing with cutting-edge data analytics training can earn a **Master of Science in Marketing**. This STEM eligible program is grounded in marketing analytics and prepares students to transform data, gather insights, and develop meaningful business solutions in their careers.

Information technology continually alters the experience of business, social, and even physical interactions worldwide, and the job market reflects the need for developments in information systems. The STEM designated **Master of Science in IT & Management** program prepares students for disruptive innovations and emerging technologies as they look to contribute to the workforce.

The **Master of Science in Finance** program offers a unique intersection of understanding finance theory and applying technical, quantitative skills in both the classroom and the workplace. This program is STEM eligible and designed by industry experts to help students acquire high-demand financial modeling to broaden career opportunities.

Current technologies generate a massive amount of data from both business transactions and user generated data, leading to an increase in demand for data analytics professionals. Graduates from the STEM designated **Master of Science in Business Analytics** program are prepared to leverage statistical analysis, data mining, natural language processing, optimization, and machine learning to address business management issues in finance, marketing, and supply chain management.

The diversity of classes, faculty, students, and ideas fostered at Texas McCombs helps prepare students to work and lead anywhere in the world. Explore Texas McCombs one-year master's degrees and apply to join the Class of 2022 by visiting:

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Rice University Master of Global Affairs



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The Master of Global Affairs (MGA) is a two-year Master of Arts degree sponsored by Rice University's Baker Institute for Public Policy and the School of Social Sciences. MGA students complete rigorous course work that compels high standards of scholarship and offers practical training for careers in government, the private sector and international organizations, thus producing graduates with a broad global perspective requisite of leaders for the next century.



Find out more at
mga.rice.edu



The Rice University Master of Global Affairs (MGA) is a two-year Master of Arts degree co-sponsored by the world-renowned James A. Baker III Institute for Public Policy and the School of Social Sciences. MGA students pursue a rigorous curriculum that culminates in a professional degree aimed at putting graduates at the cross-section of public policy and actionable decision making requisite in today's global workplace.

The MGA is designed to be small, with no more than 25 matriculants admitted annually, so students can actively engage with program faculty and their fellow peers to leverage the global Rice network that truly knows no boundaries.

In the first year of the program, students take an eight-course core-sequence that examines global affairs from multiple perspectives including global security, global systems, microeconomics, and international conflict and cooperation. Students learn from some of the finest researchers in public policy and the social sciences that require the highest standard of critical analysis and quantitative application and provide a firm grounding in theoretical and methodological methods. Core curriculum courses are offered in the evenings to accom-

modate working professionals and content is delivered in the form of simulations, group projects and presentations, guest lectures, and individual research projects.

“At the Baker Institute, our goal is to bridge the gap between the theory and practice of public policy. Students in the program will benefit from our fellows’ expertise on key issues facing governments, the private sector and society today and the institute’s national and worldwide connections.”

In the second year, students pursue an area of study in international security, international political development, or international political economy. The area of study allows each student to pursue in depth studies on a subject critical to their professional interests and culminates in an applied capstone project that analyzes a contemporary policy problem

critical to an organization.

Rice University's location in the heart of Houston, Texas makes the MGA an ideal setting for studying the formulation and execution of global policy and decision making on a world stage with some of the largest international corporate and non-profit entities. Houston's reputation as the 'Energy Capital of the World', the vast network of the third largest consular corps in the United States, and the city's standing as the busiest international seaport in the United States, allow students to network into a variety of internship and career placements.

Current students have interned at such organizations as Ernst & Young, National Oilwell Varco, and the British Consulate.

The MGA is seeking applications for its next cohort to start in fall 2021.

Visit mga.rice.edu for information.



Rice University Master of Social Policy



using various statistical methods. The curriculum will give students the chance to develop and refine their analytical skills by studying different methodological and empirical approaches. They will learn the skills they need to design and conduct policy evaluations personalized for specific situations with varying degrees of available data.

“The MSPE is designed to engage students in unparalleled classroom experiences offered by leading experts and to provide the opportunity to put learned skills into practice,” said Margaret Beier, professor of psychology and the faculty director for the program. “We are confident that our graduates will have the skills needed to positively affect how government works through effective policy evaluation.”

The program will also provide students a unique hands-on experience by drawing upon real-world policy evaluations conducted at the Texas Policy Lab and other research centers at Rice, including the Houston Education Research Consortium and the Local Elections in America Project. Policy study areas will include criminal justice, public health, early childhood development and education, and labor markets, among others.

Applicants for the program are encouraged to may apply Early Decision by February 1st or Regular Decision by April 30th.



With demand for evidence-based social policy growing rapidly at every level of government, Rice University is launching a new full-time Master of Social Policy Evaluation (MSPE) program in fall 2021.

Housed in Rice’s School of Social Sciences, the 13-month, 30-credit-hour program will be open to 20 students the first year and will eventually grow to accommodate 30 students. The interdisciplinary program will draw its course content from the fields of psychology, political science, economics and sociology.

Students will learn to conduct independent policy evaluations

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Rice University’s Master of Social Policy Evaluation (MSPE) offers a unique opportunity to learn and apply frontier methods of data analytics, project management skills, and social policy evaluations to help organizations understand “*what is working?*” Students pursue a **one-year, full-time, 30-credit hour program** that provides the skills and application for real-world policy evaluations.

Explore policy areas in depth including: **criminal and juvenile justice, public health, early childhood development and education, and labor markets.**

Fall 2021 Application Now Open
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Rice University Master of Energy Economics



University's Baker Institute Center for Energy Studies. Students benefit from the academic and research strengths of Rice University to thrive as strategic thinkers and leaders in the energy industry.

The Master of Energy Economics provides students a dynamic curriculum rooted in microeconomics

and econometrics and allows students to customize their degree with a diverse selection of electives in energy policy, industrial organization, transportation, electricity and corporate finance. The program culminates with the option to

pursue either an internship or an intensive practicum experience working with an energy company. Examples of past internship sponsors include: Ernst & Young, Chevron, BP, Saudi Aramco, Pemex, and many more.

Our location in Houston, Texas, known globally as the "Energy Capital of the World", allows students to engage leaders at the cross-road of actionable decision making and policy implementation, thus providing a new avenue for graduates to develop human capital relevant for business development and/or strategic planning roles.

The program's ideal candidate is someone who is ready to tackle the rigorous curriculum, and at the same time, contribute to the classroom discourse with their own experiences and knowledge. Master of Energy Economics alumni have stated one of the program's greatest strengths is the cohort's diversity made up of international and domestic students, as well as students from a variety of engineering and non-engineer-

ing backgrounds, who each have unique professional experience and cultural perspectives in energy.

The Master of Energy Economics admits students annually for fall in enrollment. The Early Decision applications are due February 1, 2021 and Regular Decision Applications are due April 30, 2021. Students may apply online at meecon.rice.edu



Rice University's Master of Energy Economics is a 12-month, full-time professional master's program offered by the Department of Economics in coordination with Rice



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As the city's oldest law school, South Texas College of Law Houston is still making history, offering students more opportunities to gain real-world experience and hone their legal interests – and legal skills – while they are still students.

The law school, which began classes in 1923, has earned a reputation for producing “practice-ready” graduates, giving them in-depth exposure to the skills needed to pursue various disciplines in the profession.

Alicia Cramer, assistant dean of admissions and student organizations, explained that prospective employers often seek law school graduates who have the skills and knowledge to start contributing to their firms right away.

“Attorneys who come prepared with optimal skills in research, writing, strategizing, contract drafting, presenting and more have an advantage,” she said. “That’s why we go above and beyond to make sure they have that

experience.”

In fact, she said that judges often are able to recognize a South Texas graduate in their courtrooms. “They are well-prepared and able to handle their cases,” she said. “They’re also confident in their skills, which carries them forward in their career.”

Law firms, corporations and government agencies recruit South Texas graduates because of their strong legal foundation layered with real-world, practical skills.

For example, South Texas advocacy students learn to litigate by getting into the courtroom and testing their skills of persuasion in front of jurors and the bench in competition tournaments – not just from books and lectures. This program is so successful that South Texas holds 133 national advocacy championships. That’s more than twice as many as any other U.S. law school.

Similarly, transactional practice students learn by drafting and revising contracts and other documents, while

students in the Randall O. Sorrels Legal Clinics at South Texas gain real-world experience advocating on behalf of low-income clients with legal problems.

In fact, South Texas College of Law Houston is unique in both the amount and variety of experiential-learning opportunities available to students. The college offers 23 separate, specialized clinics -- more than any other law school in the state. Each year students provide more than 35,000 hours of pro bono legal services – valued at more than \$1.8 million – to underserved Houston residents.

“With these opportunities, our students are able to apply their classroom learning to actual cases with real clients,” Cramer said. “This helps them practice and gain confidence in the field. At the same time, they are able to hone their legal interests and future goals.”

For more information on South Texas College of Law Houston visit stcl.edu/explore.

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The knowledge and skills learned in the MARM & MCMS programs will equip you to lead the way in managing the complex policy issues facing our society today. Through a multidisciplinary approach that bridges the social and physical sciences, you will learn how the social, natural, and built environments are connected, the issues posed at these intersections, and how to innovate to create more resilient systems. Graduates of these programs are highly sought in the public and private sectors to lead and support environment management agencies, conservation groups, and oil and gas industries. Enhance your skills and future employability through graduate education that serves a vital part of our country – the coasts and coastal communities.



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In these uncertain times, investing in your future through graduate education is a smart choice. Texas A&M University at Galveston offers two graduate programs focused on coastal and marine management that will enhance your analytical skills and future employability. The Master of Marine Resources Management (MARM) and the Doctor of Philosophy in Marine and Coastal Management and Science (MCMS) are designed to equip students with the skills needed to tackle the complex problems facing our society today. Taught by experts affiliated with the Center for Texas Beaches and Shores (www.tamug.edu/ctbs), coursework in both programs bridges the social and physical sciences with an emphasis on coastal and marine issues. Given that 40% of Americans live on the coast and coastal communities contribute 46% of the nation's total GDP, the knowledge and skills learned in these programs are highly relevant. Graduates of the MARM and MCES programs are very competitive for jobs in the public and private sectors, including state and federal environmental management agencies, non-governmental organizations such as conservation groups, oil and gas industry, environmental consulting firms, and academia.

Master of Marine Resources Management

Similar to a Master of Business Administration for coastal resource management, the MARM program requires 36 hours of coursework, typically taking four semesters to complete.



Coursework includes: environmental policy, environmental management strategies, environmental planning, quantitative methods of analysis, geographic information system (GIS) modeling, and natural resource economics. Students pursue electives in their areas of interest, including courses in: advanced GIS, environmental dispute resolution, physical oceanography, and planning for coastal sustainability and resilience. There is also the opportunity to earn a GIS certificate with completion of a series of advanced GIS classes.

Doctor of Philosophy in Marine and Coastal Management and Science

The MCMS doctoral program is designed to provide rigorous training in interdisciplinary approaches to research with a focus on the coastal and marine near-shore environments, where problems at the interface of the natural and built environment are most pronounced. The program requires completion of 60 hours of coursework for students entering with a master's degree or 90 hours for students entering with a bachelor's degree. In addition to courses in environmental policy, planning, and management, doctoral students are required to complete a series of quantitative analysis, statistics, and research methods classes. Students work closely with faculty advi-

sors to develop independent research, participate in collaborative science and practice networks, and make professional connections.

The Bottom Line

The multifaceted problems threatening environmental and social systems today, ranging from natural hazards to unsustainable resource use, demand specialists capable of making connections across science and policy and applying interdisciplinary approaches. The MARM and MCES graduate programs equip students with these skills in a collaborative learning environment, with more rigorous analytical and research training on the doctoral level. For more information on expenses of graduate school at TAMUG, visit: www.tamug.edu/grad/Incoming-Students/School-Expenses.html. There are limited number of graduate teaching and research assistantships available in both programs.

For More Information Applications

<https://www.tamug.edu/grad/Prospective-Students/Applying-to-TAMUG.html>

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on-campus or hybrid accelerated Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN).

MASTER OF SCIENCE IN NURSING FAMILY NURSE PRACTITIONER (MSN/FNP)

Roseman University's MSN/FNP is a 23-month full time asynchronous online program that prepares students for the Advanced Practice Registered Nurse License (APRN). Students are taught using Roseman University's Six-Point Mastery

Learning Model®, an education system that promotes high levels of achievement, with a focus on mastery of content. A block curriculum allows them to study full-time while maintaining a full-time job as a nurse, and incorporates evidence-based research, theory, and practice with local clinical hours. The MSN/FNP program offers two class starts per

year - January and July.

According to College of Nursing Dean Dr. Brian Oxhorn, the MSN/FNP program was designed specifically for nurses who hold a BSN and are ready to fill the growing need for highly skilled advanced practice registered nurses.

"Our enrolled students have the opportunity to work full-time, attend class online, the potential to complete clinical hours where they live, and finish their master's degree in just under two years," said Dr. Oxhorn.

The MSN/FNP program focuses on training students to provide comprehensive healthcare for people across all ages, body systems and diseases and prepares students to deliver a range of acute, chronic, and preventive healthcare services.

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN NURSING (BSN)

Roseman University offers both an on-campus (BSN) or accelerated hybrid (ABSN) program, designed to help students carve their career paths as general nurses in the healthcare industry. The College of Nursing offers 3 class starts per year for the hybrid BSN - February, July, October - and 1 class start per year for the on-campus BSN - August.

Just like the MSN/FNP program, Roseman's BSN students are taught using the University's Six-Point Mastery Learning Model®, which emphasizes a block curriculum.

"The block curriculum allows students to study one area at a time, mastering it without distractions created by studying more than one subject at a time," said Oxhorn. "Furthermore, the student's progression within the nursing program is dependent on the mastery of the subject matter

necessary for application in the subsequent block."

In addition to traditional classroom time, whether that is online or on campus, there are lab and clinical hour requirements. Each block varies in length depending on the number of credits received and whether clinical components are required. Clinical rotations are done at many healthcare facilities and hospitals in Las Vegas, Nevada and Salt Lake City, Utah areas.

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Public health. What it is, what it does, and how it works change daily. Ranked in the top ten schools of public health in the US, Boston University School of Public Health (BUSPH) is at the frontier of that evolution, propelling public health into one of the most consequential careers of our times. As BUSPH defines it, public

health encompasses all crucial human challenges, including the obesity epidemic, gun violence, racism, poverty, infant mortality, LGBTQ rights, and human trafficking. If you want your efforts to advance the world, public health is an exhilarating opportunity to do just that.

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Our Master of Public Health (MPH) degree gives you an integrated, problem-based foundation in the values, history, methods, and functions of public health with specializations in our 16 interdisciplinary certificates.

Our research-focused MS degrees (Applied Biostatistics; Population Health Research)

and PhD degrees (Biostatistics; Environmental Health; Epidemiology; Health Services Research) produce graduates that are known for their comprehensive knowledge and excellent methodological skills—skills that will enable you to translate research findings into practical applications.

If you are an experienced public health professional seeking to build your leadership and management skills, our DrPH degree program prepares you to practice at the highest level.

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Next Steps

If you're not a sidelines kind of person. If you want your personal and professional actions to change the way the world works. If you believe that BUSPH might be a good fit for you, let's get the conversation started. Reach out to our Admissions Office at asksph@bu.edu.

Learn more or request more information at bu.edu/sph.



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New Med School Focuses on Underserved Areas



On the banks of the beautiful Bayou DeSiard in Monroe, Louisiana, sits the state's first and only college of osteopathic medicine, the Edward Via College of Osteopathic Medicine (VCOM). VCOM's new Louisiana campus is a partnership between VCOM and the University of Louisiana Monroe (ULM).

ULM houses Louisiana's only public school of pharmacy and has schools of nursing, physical therapy, kinesiology, occupational therapy, and other health sciences, offering many opportunities for research and educational collaboration for students.

The new campus boasts some

of the most modern medical teaching facilities available, including a high-tech simulation center, a 4,100-square-foot anatomy lab, and a 3,300-square-foot osteopathic manipulative medicine lab.

VCOM-Louisiana was established to address a physician shortage in Louisiana, which currently ranks 39th in the U.S. for per capita primary care physicians. In fact, 81% of the state has been designated a health professional shortage area by the Louisiana Department of Health.

By establishing the new campus in one of the most underserved areas of the country, VCOM-Louisiana graduates will have ample opportunity to further VCOM's mission to prepare globally-minded, community-focused physi-

cians to meet the needs of rural and medically underserved populations and make a real difference for citizens in the Delta region.

VCOM is one of only 37 colleges of osteopathic medicine in the U.S. Osteopathic medicine is a distinct branch of medicine, emphasizing the interrelated unity of all systems in the body, each working with the other to heal in times of illness.

Osteopathic physicians are licensed to practice the full scope of medicine in every state. They prescribe medications, perform surgery, and use osteopathic manipulative medicine (OMM) as a tool to diagnose and treat patients. Today, 1 in 4 medical students in the U.S. attends an osteopathic medical school.

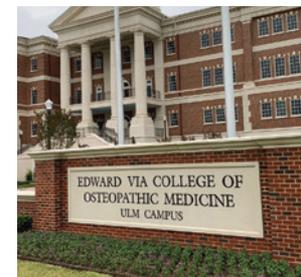
While a majority of VCOM students tend to choose primary care specialties, such as family practice, pediatrics or internal medicine, osteopathic physicians can practice any specialty.

VCOM has a match rate of 99.4% for residency programs, and their graduates get matched into programs in even the most competitive categories. The average match rate for osteopathic graduates in the U.S. is 84.6%.

VCOM understands and embraces the idea that diversity among students and faculty enhances the quality of VCOM's medical education. The College actively recruits minority students who are underrepresented in health-care professions.

The curriculum also teaches students to provide culturally sensitive, comprehensive medical care to communities with minority populations.

For more information about VCOM and the new Louisiana campus, visit www.vcom.edu. A virtual open house will be held Friday, October 23. Register online at <https://www.vcom.edu/events/vcom-louisiana-virtual-open-house>.



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Ex-Marine Turns Entrepreneur



After seven years in the Marine Corps flying helicopters, Tal decided to pursue his next goal: establishing a long-term career outside of the army. He's now an entrepreneur with a catalogue of successful startups in his portfolio. He also sits on the board for the Department of Finance

and Economics at Mississippi State University.

And, if that's not enough, he's currently working on upscaling his aviation software startup, Cofflyt. This new startup is designed to make the management of aircraft for pilots and aircraft owners easier—like an online logbook.

He credits the part-time MBA from USF SOM for equipping him with the entrepreneurial skills to launch his own venture. He claims the program helped him build a strong foundational understanding of business.

“My MBA has given me the opportunity to continue working with a passion of mine—which is flying and aviation—while developing a business that will help the aviation community,” Tal says.

It's never too late to go back to school

When Tal left the Marine Corps in 1993, he moved his young family to San Francisco and got a job as a planning analyst in sales for Valent USA. After three years with the company, he was promoted to director of sales. It paid the bills, but he wanted more from his career and began thinking about his options.

He didn't think business school was feasible when he first moved to San Francisco. He quickly realized that he didn't have the business background he needed if he wanted to launch a career as an entrepreneur.

“The university had the flexibility to allow me to do adapt my schedule when I needed to,” he says. While adjusting to the change of pace

was difficult, the benefits outweighed the challenge, as Tal began to develop the skills that would allow him to launch his own venture.

Acquiring entrepreneurial skills

Tal says USF SOM afforded him the chance to sit down and learn about every sub sector of business. The finance and marketing modules have been particularly useful to him as an entrepreneur today; the practicality of learning how to promote your brand and the financial commitment when ensuring your startup lasts long-term.

The development of his soft skills has also been a big take-away from his MBA, Tal adds. “The program introduces you to people you may never otherwise have met,” he explains. “Yes, I have a better under-

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- Top Tier Hospitals: Ross graduates secure residencies in health

systems such as Mayo Clinic, Cleveland Clinic, and Mount Sinai Hospital, just to name a few

More about Ross University School of Medicine

Students begin their journey to become physicians on the school's medical sciences campus in Barbados. Our campus is designed to provide a contemporary learning environment that will prepare medical students to meet the complex needs of their future patients. We combine medical science knowledge, clinical training and soft skills support in a state-of-the-art educational environment that keeps learning relevant, contemporary and competitive.

The campus features technologically advanced facilities, including:

- High-tech classrooms

- An internationally accredited Simulation Institute, where students leverage sophisticated computerized patient simulators to practice basic and diagnostic treatment skills
- Technologically impressive laboratories for simulation learning and anatomy, including medical imaging capability
- Extensive audiovisual and multimedia infrastructure and capabilities throughout the campus
- Wireless Internet (WiFi) access throughout the campus
- Digital library resources, in addition to the on-campus physical library

Upon completion of the medical sciences portion, Ross students begin their clinical training at leading teaching hospitals across North America, as well as at a few elective

global sites. And because our students are given hands-on experience from semester one, they transition into the clinical semesters with confidence and the tools they need to succeed.

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