

MBA with Certificate in Health Systems Policy and Management

The University of Texas of the Permian Basin (UTPB) and the Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center (TTUHSC) have a partnership through which a student can earn a UTPB Masters of Business Administration (MBA) degree and a TTUHSC graduate certificate in Health Systems Policy and Management (HSPM). The MBA and HSPM certificate takes 39 graduate credits.

Under the partnership program:

1. Students must be actively enrolled in the UTPB MBA;
2. Students must have a current overall grade point average of a 3.0;
3. The degree plan:
 - UTPB Courses (27 credit hours)
 - ACCT 6301 Accounting Analysis
 - FINA 6320 Financial Analysis
 - MNGT 6360 Organizational Behavior
 - ACCT 6311 or MNGT 6311 Information Management Systems
 - MNGT 6301 Legal Environment of Business
 - MNGT 6303 Analytical Models for Decision-Making
 - MNGT 6361 Business Research Methods
 - MNGT 6366 Strategic Management
 - MKRT 6301 International Business

Preparation Courses: Upon admission (regular and conditional), students will be evaluated for statistical literacy. Students who need additional skills in this area are referred to MATH 6301 (statistical literacy) until literacy requirement is fulfilled. Statistical literacy (MATH 6301) must be remedied in the first semester in which the student is accepted into the MBA program and must be taken before the student enrolls in MNGT 6303, FINA 6320, MNGT 6361, MNGT 6366 or electives in accounting, finance, management, or marketing.

- TTUHSC Graduate Courses (12 credit hours)
 - HPHA 5321 Healthcare Operations and Supply Chain Management
 - HPHA 5312 Strategic Planning and Marketing in Healthcare
 - HPHA 5310 Health Law and Ethics
 - HPHA 5313 Healthcare Economics and Policy
4. Students will need to enroll at TTUHSC SHP in the Graduate Certificate HSPM Program as a graduate “non-degree seeking” and be accepted prior to enrolling in courses at TTUHSC.
 5. Students attempting to utilize financial aid must proactively plan/communicate with their UTPB academic advisor, their TTUHSC SHP Graduate Certificate HSPM academic advisor, the UTPB financial aid office and the TTUHSC SHP Office of Admissions and Student Affairs.

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