

Master of Business Administration School Finance & Operations (SFO)

CONCORDIA UNIVERSITY TEXAS



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Earn an MBA that Fits Your Life

The School Finance and Operations specialty is designed for those aspiring to take on leadership roles in the central office of an educational setting. Aside from the core MBA classes, students will take four specialty courses specifically tailored for the K-12 education environment.

The Concordia MBA offers you a well-recognized degree that has:

- ▶ Regional accreditation through SACS and program-specific accreditation from IACBE
- ▶ A strong network of over 600 alumni
- ▶ An innovative program taught by professors with industry-leading experience in addition to a doctoral degree

Standard Track (24 months)

- ▶ 36 Credit Hours
- ▶ Six semesters
- ▶ Flexible online delivery
- ▶ 8-week Courses
- ▶ Locked-in Tuition

Course Highlights

The Concordia MBA-SFO curriculum features:

- ▶ A strong quantitative focus including coursework in economics and finance
- ▶ 3 dynamic leadership seminars focused on critical thinking and ethical decision-making skills
- ▶ 4 specialized courses in School Finance & Operations

Financial Planning

- ▶ FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid) at studentaid.ed.gov. (School code: 003557)
Unsubsidized loans are available for those eligible.
- ▶ Veteran benefits available, i.e. GI Bill, Post 9/11, Yellow Ribbon, etc.
- ▶ TASBO members save \$1,500 in tuition over the course of the program.
- ▶ Talk to your admissions counselor for more information.

**Amounts listed do not represent an offer. Estimated savings are based on completion of the full MBA program.*

Recipients must satisfy all requirements for receiving the TASBO partnership discount.



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Concentration Courses Overview

After completing 24 credit hours required in the first four semesters, students take an additional 12 hours of concentration courses designed by the School of Education. The courses are taken in the order indicated below:

OPERATIONS I

This first course of the School Operations series covers the operative requirements and procedures of school facilities, transportation, food services and child nutrition. The focus areas for skill development include maximizing efficiencies, standards, benchmarks and stewardship.

OPERATIONS II

This second course of the School Operations series covers issues pertaining to vendor management, purchasing and competitive bidding. Other areas of focus include school safety issues related to risk management, crisis planning and environmental hazards.

SCHOOL FINANCE FOR BUSINESS OFFICIALS

Through relevant case studies and readings, this course traces the history of school finance legal battles in Texas. Students will review the implications and complexities surrounding the statewide system of school finance and assess pending legislative issues. The course will help school finance professionals improve their skills in strategic planning, resource allocation, budgeting, revenue generation and ethical decision making.

SCHOOL LAW FOR BUSINESS OFFICIALS

This course examines the development and current state of school policies as they relate to public, private, charter and home schooling contexts. Students will analyze legal issues pertaining to bond management, election requirements, employment procedures, special education mandates, federal and state program reporting requirements and environmental issues. The course will focus on development of skills in identification of “red flag” legal issues and appropriate responses.



TASBO COHORT 1 – SPRING 2018



TASBO COHORT 2 – FALL 2018



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