

Doctor of Business Administration (DBA)

ADMISSION

Batch-9

With globalization of economies along with technological advancement, organizations are becoming increasingly disruptive. Innovative organizational models and practices have become crucial to address this complexity. Consequently, leadership in this environment requires more contextualized levels of knowledge and skills. IBA, University of Dhaka has designed the Doctor of Business Administration (DBA) program to serve these needs by providing doctoral-level candidates the most advanced decision-making techniques, while also developing the research and writing skills that accompany high-level responsibility in the academic and business environments.

Criteria for Eligibility

- (i) MBA/EMBA/Masters in any business-related subjects (e.g. Accounting, HR, Marketing, Finance etc.) or equivalent degree from recognised academic institutions with minimum CGPA 3.00 (on a 4-point scale) or equivalent.
- (ii) Minimum 7 years of full-time work experience after Bachelor's degree or 2 years of teaching/research experience.
- (iii) SSC and HSC/ Equivalents: Minimum 50% marks / CGPA 3.50 (on a 5-point scale)
- (iv) Bachelor's Degree: Minimum CGPA 3 (on a 4-point scale) / Minimum 50% marks
- (v) Pass Course Bachelor's degree holders are not eligible to apply.
- (vi) Equivalence certificate from the Equivalence Committee of the University of Dhaka (for all private and foreign university certificates/degrees).
- (vii) Two letters of recommendation (one from an organization supervisor and the other from an academic supervisor).
- (viii) A short "Statement of Purpose" setting forth the reasons for pursuing doctoral study, personal objectives, and career plans. (Maximum 2 A4 size pages, double spaced).
- (ix) A write-up on research intent (maximum 4 A4 pages, double-spaced) addressing the area of interest, the motivation or rationale for choosing that area, and the expected contribution to business.
- (x) All certificates, transcripts, and documents mentioned in the form.
- (xi) One publication in a recognized journal for applicants in the teaching/ research profession.

How to apply

- (i) The application form can be downloaded from the IBA website (www.iba-du.edu)
- (ii) Applicants must submit their application with the potential supervisor's consent. Applications will not be accepted in the absence of consent.
- (iii) Payment of Tk. 5000.00 (Five Thousand taka only) can be made online to the following account in Sonali Bank: A/C Name: DBA, IBA, A/C No: 4405734262525, Routing No: 200271750, Sonali Bank Limited, Dhaka University Branch.
- (iv) The filled-in application form along with the proof of payment will have to be emailed to the following email address: dba@iba-du.edu

Application deadline for 2022-2023 session is December 10, 2022 (Saturday) However, applications are received throughout the year and applications received after the deadline may be considered for the next session.

After a preliminary assessment of the applications, the shortlisted candidates will have to appear before an interview board to defend their research intent for final selection.

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