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RICE BUSINESS
(Schola Negotialis apud Universitatem Ricensem)

Description: The Jones Graduate School of Business delivers a top-tier business education to a diverse species of high-performing students. Set in an intimate environment, the school prides itself on being attentive, responsive and kind to its students, alumni, faculty, staff and the greater Houston business community.

Quick Facts

- Familial Composition: Over 6,300 alumni
- Academic Institution of Origin: Rice University
- Nickname: Rice Business
- Region: Houston, Texas, U.S.A.
RISING

#8 Businessweek. 710 average GMAT.

INTIMATE

Small class size. Faculty know your name. One campus, one building. Accessible alumni.

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**FULL-TIME MBA**  
*(Magister Negotialis Tempora Completa)*

**Description:** The full-time MBA comes in many varieties and is most commonly found to be astute, intellectually curious and able to grasp high-level concepts in a team environment.

- **GMAT:** 660-760*
- **Average Age:** 28
- **5.7 Years of Work Experience**
- **15 Countries Represented**
- **34% Women**

*Stats based on Class of 2019. *Middle 80th-Percent Range of GMAT.*

[business.rice.edu/ft](http://business.rice.edu/ft)
Quick Facts

- Habitat: Prefers a rigorous, collaborative and fun environment.
- Undergraduate Major Distribution: 41% business or economics, 36% math/science/engineering, 23% liberal arts.
- Sleeping Habits: Primarily crepuscular, but studies in the twilight hours.
- Class Size: Approximately 120.

Areas of Habitation

Can be found across six continents: North America, South America, Asia, Europe, Africa and Australia.
PROFESSIONAL MBA
(Magister Negotialis Professionalibus)

Description: Because the Professional MBA student attends school while fully employed, work-life balance plays a critical role. Most Professional MBAs cultivate the acceleration of career trajectory.

6.4% Foreign Nationals

6.7 Years of Work Experience

GMAT: 570-710*

Average Age: 30

137 Companies Represented

Stats based on Class of 2019. * Middle 80th-Percent Range of GMAT.

business.rice.edu/pmba
Quick Facts

• Migration: Tends to migrate regionally for school.
• Varieties: Evening, extended evening, weekend, weekend residency.
• Food: Typically omnivorous but some varieties can be herbivores.
• Class Size: Approximately 190.

Areas of Habitation

Found primarily in the southwest region of North America (Texas, Oklahoma, Colorado, Louisiana).
EXECUTIVE MBA
(Magister Negotialis Executivis)

Description: The Executive MBA, nicknamed EMBA, is generally more mature in their years of experience. Despite running in smaller packs, EMBAs tend to focus on developing individual leadership, strategy and decision-making skills.

42% with Advanced Degrees

54 Companies Represented

16.9 Years of Work Experience

25% in the C-Suite

Average Age: 41

Stats based on Class of 2019

business.rice.edu/emba
Quick Facts

- Socialization: Tends to interact with other executives.
- Income: Average salary of $177,759 for class of 2019.
- Adaptation: Adapts well to a variety of environments.
- Class Size: Approximately 65.

Areas of Habitation

Found primarily in Houston, Texas, and the surrounding areas, with smaller numbers in more remote regions.
Description: Rice Business students encompass a wide range of diverse attributes, including: ethnicity, source of origin, experience, education and personal traits.

Stats based on the Full-Time MBA Class of 2017
Quick Facts

- **Relationships:** National Black MBA Association, Prospanica and National Association of Women MBAs.
- **Partners:** The Consortium, FORTÉ Foundation, Management Leadership for Tomorrow and Reaching Out MBA.
- **Conferences:** Women in Leadership; Sparking Success: The Intersection of Business and Diversity and Inclusion; Rice Veterans Leadership Series.
ALUMNI & CAREERS
(Alumni et Occupationes)

Description: As the number of alumni increases, so too does the opportunity to make connections. The network of alumni is loyal and strong, varying in experience, function and industry. While dispersed geographically, they share an instinctual bond.

Global Alumni Distribution

business.rice.edu/alumni
Quick Facts

- Population Density: 6,369+ alums worldwide. 5,906+ in the U.S.
- Geography: Spread across 59 countries.
- Careers: 1,279 in C-level positions.
Description: Dean Rodriguez is uniquely energetic and personable, a rare trait among deans. His infectious positivity resonates throughout the school’s students, faculty and staff.
Quick Facts

- History: U.S. President John F. Kennedy delivered the “We choose to go to the moon” speech at Rice Stadium on September 12, 1962.
- Noteworthy: Birthplace of nanotechnology, Nobel Prize in Chemistry for the buckyball, MacArthur Fellowship “genius grant” in bioengineering.
Description: The largest city in Texas is also known as the culinary and cultural capital of the South. Brimming with all kinds of food, art, sports, entertainment and 145 languages, Houston is the place to work, play, study and live.
Quick Facts

• Culture: World-class performing arts: drama, ballet, opera and symphony.
• Proximity: Five professional sports teams within 15 minutes of campus: Astros, Texans, Rockets, Dynamo and Dash.
• Art: 19 museums within walking distance of campus in the Museum District.
Scale is exaggerated but Rice is at the center of everything.