ACBSP Accreditation. Amplifying Your Degree.



The Accreditation Council for Business School and Programs (ACBSP) is a global business education accrediting body and the only organization to offer accreditation to all levels of collegiate business educational degree programs from associate to doctoral.



Standards of Excellence.

ACBSP ignites a standard of excellence for business education accreditation through student involvement and achievement, innovative curriculum development and research-based teaching methods as well as setting accreditation standards based on the Baldrige Education Criteria for Performance Excellence. Unlike other accrediting bodies, students are recognized as major stakeholders in setting ACBSP standards.

Employers place a higher value on candidates who have graduated from a business school that follows the ACBSP standards of excellence.



Student Advantages.

Students completing a two-year accredited program find it easier to transfer earned credits to four-year institutions for their baccalaureate degree. In pursuing advanced degrees, courses and credits from an accredited school are often more frequently accepted by other institutions.

ACBSP business schools **promote close links with business and entrepreneurial initiatives,** as exampled by its relationship with Enactus.
This helps you gain practical experience and network with employers.



Accreditation is achieving greater prominence as a **valuable tool in the work of certain regulatory agencies.** Employers, licensing bodies, and regulatory agencies are reassured by the quality standard embodied in ACBSP accreditation standards.

ACBSP-accredited business schools are a part of a **global education network.** This network provides member schools with access to exchange programs, study abroad programs, research programs and cultural enrichment for schools of all sizes.

ACBSP also recognizes and works closely with **three international academic business honor societies** — Kappa Beta Delta (associate degree schools), Delta Mu Delta and Sigma Beta Delta (baccalaureate/graduate degree schools). All three provide students with a **lifetime membership** and the ability to apply for **financial scholarships**.

If you strive for academic excellence — to be a candidate employers will want to hire — then your motivation and ability can be recognized through membership in one of these honor societies.