Marquette University Graduate School of Management Information for International Applicants

Graduate School of Management Programs

Welcome to the Graduate School of Management. We are excited that you are exploring your options in pursuit of advancing your academic goals. We are here to support you. Below you will find information about Milwaukee, Marquette University resources, and admission information.

About Milwaukee

Milwaukee (MKE) is a city in the U.S state of Wisconsin on Lake Michigan's western shore. Milwaukee is known for its scenic river walk, beautiful lakefront access, historic buildings, summer festivals, and several professional sports teams, and it is home to the nationally ranked Marquette University.

Explore much more by clicking the link to MU MKE Magazine.

Take a virtual tour – Explore Marquette's beautiful campus with a virtual tour.

Housing Options

Many graduate students live on-campus through <u>University owned apartments</u>, but many students prefer to <u>seek housing off-campus</u>. There are certainly advantages to both. Students looking to live off-campus in one of <u>Milwaukee's thriving neighborhoods</u> can find which one fits their lifestyle best at <u>Visit Milwaukee</u>. For more information on university-owned apartments, <u>visit Residence Life</u>.

Marquette also offers on-campus housing through a floor of a residence hall (Mashuda), that is reserved only for graduate students. The Mashuda Residence Hall offers 37 single rooms that are available on a first come – first served basis. Rooms are typically fully reserved by the beginning of May.

Office of International Education (OIE) Resources

OIE works to promote the internationalization of Marquette University by recruiting and advising international students and scholars, developing vibrant partnerships with international institutions, providing innovative study abroad opportunities, and offering dynamic instruction in academic English language skills. For more information on the Office of International Education, visit https://www.marquette.edu/oie/

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Students may pursue the following Graduate School of Management programs through a F-1 visa.

- MS in Accounting (MSA)
- MS in Accounting Analytics (MSAA)
- MS in Applied Economics (MSAE)
- Master of Business Administration (MBA)
- Master of Arts in Corporate Communication (CCOM)

The following GSM programs are not eligible for study in the U.S. through a F-1 visa. Study within a student's home country may be considered for programs noted with an *.

- Executive MBA
- MBA Online*
- Master of Science in Finance*
- Master in Management*
- Master of Science in Supply Chain Management*
- Certificate programs* Accounting Analytics Certificate may be pursued online.

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Application Timing & Deadlines

To allow for admissions considerations and visa processing, international applicants are encouraged to apply at least 3 months (90 days) prior to the start of an academic semester.

- If applying for fall, please complete application materials by June 1.
- If applying for spring, please complete application materials by October 1.
- If applying for summer, please complete application materials by February 1.

Financial Aid and Assistantships

The Graduate School of Management offers limited tuition scholarships and Graduate Assistantships. Assistantships are most often awarded on a half-time basis (9 credits per year, half of the annual stipend): it is extremely rare for any GSM student to have their studies fully funded. Information about graduate assistantships is available here. The deadlines to apply are February 15 for the fall semester and November 15 for the spring semester. Applicants may learn more through the financial aid resources website.

GMAT & GRE Waiver Application

A GMAT or GRE score is required within the Marquette Graduate School of Management application unless an applicant is waived from the requirement. A waiver may be requested through this form. Waiver criteria for applications for students beginning their GSM studies in 2023 are as follows:

- MSA and MSAA: Waivers are considered for students with a GPA of 3.00 or higher from an AACSB accredited school.
- MSAE: Waivers are considered for applicants that have earned an overall quality point average (GPA) of 3.00 or higher with a quality point average (GPA) of 3.25 or higher in their economics major from an AACSB accredited school.
- MBA: Waivers are considered based on work experience and academic performance within an AACSB accredited school, Engineering Accredited Commission of ABET school or school approved by a U.S. Department of Education approved Regional Accrediting Body, and
 - o a GPA of 3.25 or better for applicants with fewer than 3 years of full-time business experience and proof of quantitative coverage, or
 - o a GPA of 3.00 or better for applicants with 3 or more years of full-time business experience and proof of quantitative course coverage.
- **CCOM**: Waivers are considered for applicants who have earned an overall quality point average (GPA) of 3.00 or higher from an AACSB accredited or Department of Education approved Regional Accrediting Body.

English Proficiency

Applicants may submit TOEFL, IELTS or other acceptable proof of English proficiency. Information about TOEFL and IELTS scores and timelines is available here. If an applicant completed prior university-level studies with English as the official language of instruction, this information may be shared through a notation on the student's transcript or a letter from the university. Please contact gradadmit@marquette.edu to notify admissions staff of English as the official language of instruction.