No matter what your work is or where your work takes you, you’ll find yourself in a room where a decision needs to be made and the room turns to you. A Michigan Ross MBA prepares you for that exact moment, and our Weekend MBA builds on your strengths while you work. In just two years, you can dramatically change the trajectory of your career. Our graduates take on some of the biggest challenges in their respective industries as they carve their path to leadership. So no matter when, where, or how your moment comes, as a graduate of Michigan Ross...

YOU’LL BE READY.
READY TO MAKE YOUR MOVE

Surround yourself with people who will push you to become the leader you want to be. Your classmates will encourage you to step out of your comfort zone, invite you to join new initiatives, and prompt you to take your career to the next level.

MEET THE CLASS OF 2023

6.4  Years of full-time work experience
671  Average GMAT
160  GRE (Quantitative)
156  GRE (Verbal)
3.4  Undergraduate GPA
46%  Have advanced degrees

BROADEN YOUR PERSPECTIVE

You’ll learn alongside students from myriad backgrounds who all share the same drive to lead. From engineers to entrepreneurs and from supply chain managers to sales professionals, the Michigan Ross Weekend MBA Program attracts candidates whose diverse backgrounds will help you expand your thinking and inform your leadership style.

“the moment when...”

YOU MAKE EACH OTHER BETTER

There isn’t a group or conversation that I have been in, whether it was a professor or a student, where people weren’t trying to work together for a better outcome.”

NICHOLAS BROWN
WEEKEND MBA ALUM
Our Weekend MBA format is designed with working professionals in mind. It’s an accelerated two-year program that works around your busy schedule.

› Every Other Weekend
Classes are held every other weekend on campus. You’ll start Friday afternoon and break that evening, then resume on Saturday morning and end classes in the afternoon.

› Cohort Experience
You’ll advance through the program with the same group of students, which fosters lasting relationships and a close-knit cohort experience.

› Personalized Career Support
You’ll benefit from personalized career support, recruiting events, and the strong relationships we’ve built with Fortune 500 companies.

“the moment when...”

I especially loved the cohort experience because I was able to develop strong networks and be part of a great community.”

NIKKI GUGLIELMO
WEEKEND MBA ALUM
READY TO TAKE ACTION

We believe the best way to learn business is to do business. That’s why we create action-based learning opportunities throughout the Weekend MBA Program. In our signature Multidisciplinary Action Projects (MAP) course, you and your teammates advise a real organization on real business challenges. It’s a great way to tackle new challenges, gain new perspectives, build relationships, and grow your professional experience.

PREVIOUS MAP PROJECTS

- **Amazon // Retail**
  Develop a business case for Amazon to build a new rental program in the U.S. market.

- **Motorola Solutions // Technology**
  Perform competitive analysis to identify comparable Software & Services companies.

- **NFL // Media, Sports & Entertainment**
  Create a long-term content strategy for fantasy football content across various platforms.

- **Owens Corning // Manufacturing**
  Formulate a market entry strategy for a new product into the India market.

- **USAF Office of Commercial and Economic Analysis // Government**
  Formulate a detailed strategy to democratize access to space through digital engineering.
READY TO PROVE YOURSELF

One of the best parts of our Weekend MBA is that you can make an immediate impact by bringing what you learned over the weekend into work on Monday. In addition to our world-class faculty and action-based curriculum, you can sharpen your leadership skills by competing against the best.

LEADERSHIP CRISIS CHALLENGE
The bigger your role, the more challenges you’ll face. After experiencing the Leadership Crisis Challenge, you’ll know you’re ready to handle them all. You and your teammates act as the executive leadership team navigating a high-stakes, high-pressure, and very public simulated crisis.

PART-TIME MBA DEI CASE COMPETITION
In its inaugural competition, a team of students won the DEI Case Competition by making strategic recommendations to increase diversity, equity, and inclusion at a multinational beauty company. Their presentation was judged by executives from Google, McKinsey, EY, and Campbell’s Soup.

“the moment when…”

YOU LEARN FROM YOUR DIFFERENCES

As part-time MBA students, we have an advantage because we’re in the workplace. We have firsthand experience in corporate America. We are able to see DEI in the workplace and on campus and are able to share our ideas.”

AMANI BADRAN
WEEKEND MBA ALUM

There’s a podcast for everything, and this one is for you. Working for the Weekend is the student-run podcast about part-time MBA students balancing work, life, family, and everything else that comes with living and working toward a Ross MBA.

MEET THE TEAM FROM THE LEADERSHIP CRISIS CHALLENGE IN EPISODE #402.
READY FOR THE NEXT LEVEL

You can change the trajectory of your whole career just by putting your weekends to work. Whether you’re looking to make a bigger impact, break into a new industry, or move up at your current company, a Michigan Ross Weekend MBA can help you get there. Some of the world’s most desirable employers are among our top hiring companies. And Ross graduates live and work in major cities all across the U.S. and in more than 100 countries.

TOP HIRING COMPANIES

Amazon  General Motors
Ford  Accenture
Deloitte  Google
McKinsey & Company  DTE
Ann Arbor, Michigan, consistently ranks as one of the best places to live in the United States. Hundreds of startups call this city home, largely due to its entrepreneurial spirit, intellectual drive, and creative energy. Ann Arbor is also rich in entertainment and culture, home to an amazing food scene, and offers countless opportunities for indoor and outdoor adventure.
Our Weekend MBA Program is just two years, but you’ll be an alum — and a Wolverine — for life. The Michigan Block M is one of the most recognized symbols in higher education, and a “Go Blue!” at the end of an email pretty much guarantees you a response.

You leverage the Michigan Ross network. If you see someone in any industry, at any level, who has a Michigan background, it’s an instant connection. The alumni network is so willing to just support and have conversations with you, even if they don’t know you.”

Garrett White
Weekend MBA Alum

52,000+
Michigan Ross Alumni Live in 111 Countries

630,000+
U-M Alumni Around the World

Our commitment to you lasts a lifetime. As a Michigan Ross Alum, you can take part in our one-of-a-kind Alumni Advantage Program, which includes tuition-free open enrollment executive education for life.

Go Blue!
READY TO GET GOING

Now that you know how our Weekend MBA works, what makes it special, and where it can take you, there's just one thing left to do: Take your next step.

ADMISSIONS INFORMATION
Register for an information session, connect with a student, or start your application at michiganross.umich.edu/weekend-mba

APPLICATION DEADLINES
- Early Deadline: Dec. 6, 2021
- Final Deadline: Jan. 17, 2022

THERE'S ONLY ONE MICHIGAN ROSS MBA, BUT THERE IS MORE THAN ONE WAY TO EARN IT.

In addition to our Weekend MBA Program, many working professionals find success with our Online MBA. It takes three or four years to complete, and it combines live, interactive courses with self-guided modules. Three meaningful, in-person residencies help you cement relationships, meet our world-class faculty, and carve your path to success.