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Trade Master's Program Profile



Professional MBA
(International Trading)



Program overview

University	Nanyang Technological University (NTU)
School	Nanyang Business School
Program	Professional MBA (International Trading)
Location	Singapore
Mode	Part-time
Duration	18 months
Delivery	On-Campus
Start	July

This profile will help students to appreciate why this graduate program ranked high on the [International Trade Rankings](#). The [Hinrich Foundation](#) and QS created the Rankings to help **students** identify programs that will fast-track their trade careers and enable **companies** to hire performance-ready talent.

Introduction

The [Professional MBA](#) program with an International Trading specialization, offered by the [Nanyang Business School](#) (Nanyang Technological University, Singapore), is **ranked first in Asia Pacific and third globally** in the [International Trade Rankings](#) 2023.

Aimed to educate trained professionals to lead effectively across cultures and markets, the program provides a holistic education that develops cross-cultural intelligence, knowledge of emerging technologies, awareness of sustainability and regulatory issues, and the ability to manage opportunities and risks in the dynamic global trading environment. This industry-aligned approach is made possible due to close ties with the industry as well as its support partner, Enterprise Singapore, for curriculum development, classroom guest speaking and collaborative field trips.

Ranking performance highlights



Program Delivery

Taking the first place, the Professional MBA (International Trading) program is held on alternate weekends for 18 months with a study trip to Geneva, the global hub of commodity trading, in the last segment of the program. This design not only ensures that PMBA (International Trading) graduates can attain their degrees with minimal time away from work but also promotes direct, immediate application of knowledge and skills learned in the classroom into their daily duties.



Trade Program Content

Ranked fourth in this dimension, the program is designed to strengthen mid-career personnel's knowledge on the core issues facing the industry, including international trade laws and regulation, ethical and environmental responsibilities, technological advance and disruptions. PMBA (International Trading) students are required to complete a curated hands-on consultancy project to address real-life business challenges faced by a sponsor trading company and demonstrate comprehensive leadership skills through modules on cross-cultural people management and negotiations.



Industry Engagement

Nanyang Business School developed the International Trading specialization in close consultation with Enterprise Singapore, the national trade agency of Singapore, and industry bodies to ensure direct relevance to industry requirements and challenges. NTU's Center of Excellence in International Trading connects the school with a network of more than 40 leading employers in the field for academic and employment endeavors. With strong ties to the trading community, the program is **ranked among the top in the Faculty Industry Experience and Partnering with Employers** indicators.

