

## **Graduation Requirements**

### **MBA Program in International Management (imMBA)**

### **Fu Jen Catholic University**

**Article I:** imMBA graduation requirements are listed as follows

1. Complete 23 credits of required courses:  
11 credits from absolutely required courses, including thesis 6 credits; 12 credits from optionally required courses.
2. Complete 19 credits of elective courses.
3. Complete the final thesis defense.
4. The minimum credit for graduation is 42 credits.

**Article II:** English proficiency requirement

1. TOEIC 785 or TOEFL iBT 72 or IELTS 6.0
2. The score of the English proficiency test is only valid within 2 years before graduation.

Students who don't meet the standard are required to do the following:

1. Take one English proficiency test, TOEIC or TOEFL iBT or IELTS. Plus, take two English proficiency-enhancing courses approved by the imMBA director before course registration and achieve scores of 70.
2. English proficiency-enhancing courses will not be counted towards graduation credits.

Qualification to waive English proficiency requirement:

1. Once enrolled as a full-time student for at least 2 years at a university, not including language schools and related courses, located in limited countries (see note 1) within 5 years before enrolling at imMBA.
2. It's compulsory to show valid proof of documentation, such as enrollment, transcripts, diplomas, etc.

Note 1: US, UK, Ireland, Australia, New Zealand, Canada, and South Africa

Note 2: For those who join the double-degree program, the English requirement will directly follow the contracts signed by different partner schools.

**Article III:** Course regulation

1. Economics, Business Management, Statistics, and Accounting are imMBA prerequisite courses. Students who did not take or failed these courses during their undergraduate studies need to complete and pass 1 of the aforementioned courses before the end of the first semester in the first year of enrollment. The chosen prerequisite course can't be counted towards graduation credits.

2. Only courses from the College of Management which are graduate-level, English conducted, business-related could be counted towards graduation credits. Otherwise, students should ask the imMBA director for approval before course registration.
3. Except for the very last semester of study or the consent from the imMBA director, all students in the first year need to take 9-18 credits per semester, and 8-18 credits per semester in the second year.

#### **Article IV: The final thesis defense**

1. Only those who meet the course and English requirements outlined above are eligible to apply for the master's thesis final defense.
2. Students must publicly present and pass the first three chapters of their thesis before applying for the master's thesis final defense. The first three-chapter presentation and the master's thesis final defense should apart at least three months.
3. When applying for the master's thesis final defense, students must submit relevant supporting documents and provide a written affidavit. If the contents of the affidavit are violated, the master's thesis final defense will be invalid.
4. The final thesis defense includes the defense, the score, and the thesis revision. Only all three parts are passed and approved by the thesis advisor and the score sent to the Office of Academic Affairs will the defense complete.

<b>Absolutely</b> required courses (11credits)	International Business management (3)
	Business Ethics (2)
	Thesis (6)
<b>Optionally</b> required courses (Take 4 out of 6, 12credits)	Strategic Management (3)
	Supply Chain and Operations management (3)
	Marketing Management (3)
	Organization Design and Management (3)
	Human Resources and Knowledge Management (3)
	Financial Management (3)

**In case of a discrepancy between English and Chinese versions, the Chinese version prevails.**