

Accelerated Master of Leadership and Management

About the program

Thunderbird School of Global Management's accelerated Master of Leadership and Management (accelerated MLM) program is designed to deliver mastery in 21st-century leadership and management principles, allowing globally-minded students the opportunity to obtain both a bachelor's and master's degree in as little as five years.

This in-depth program also offers an optional specialization in AI, Analytics & FinTech Innovation in Business.

Created to empower graduates with well-rounded, future-ready skill sets, this transformational master's degree combines cutting-edge management coursework with a truly global curriculum, cross-cultural communication and negotiation training, personal development and leadership components to prepare graduates to thrive as decision-makers in enterprises that operate across borders.

The accelerated MLM program is offered as an accelerated bachelor's plus master's degree with Thunderbird's Bachelor of Global Management (BGM) or Bachelor of Science in International Trade (BSIT), as well as Ira A. Fulton Schools of Engineering's Bachelor of Science in Technological Entrepreneurship and Management.

12

months duration

100%

online

30

credit
hours

50k+

alumni across
145 countries

Full tuition cost (USD) **\$23,400**

*subject to university fee changes

Scholarships available.

Thunderbird School of Global Management
**#1 in the world for
international trade**



ASU ahead of Oxford, Columbia and Michigan (Ross)
QS International Trade Rankings, 2023-25

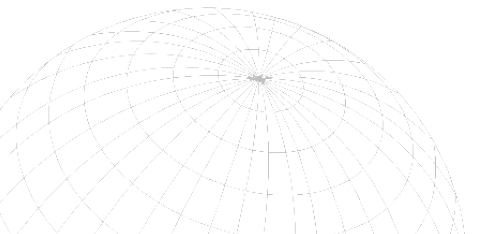
**#1 in the U.S.
for innovation**

ASU ahead of MIT and Stanford
— U.S. News & World Report, 10 years, 2016-25



Do you have a T-bird mindset?

- Passionate about leadership and management.
- Intrigued by innovation and entrepreneurship.
- Driven to solve complex challenges.
- Committed to sustainable practices.
- Curious about cultures and languages.
- Motivated by travel and exploring the world.



Curriculum

Courses taken as an undergraduate student

- Communicating and Negotiating in a Dynamic Global World
- Navigating Global and Regional Business Environments
- Data Analytics and Digital Transformation in a Global World
- Global Leadership and Personal Development

Courses taken as a graduate student

- Global Marketing in a Digital Age
- Global Accounting: Managing with Numbers
- Financial Value Creation for Leaders
- Global Entrepreneurship and Sustainable Business
- Strategy in a Competitive World (Capstone)

Thunderbird applied learning (choose 1)

- Global Field Seminar
- Thunderbird Experiential Practicum (GCL)
- Global Organizational Consulting
- Global Venture Creation

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I am from Ecuador and have lived in Phoenix for almost 12 years. For me, Thunderbird has been a beautiful experience. The communication with professors is great, and I love that I can build relationships with people from all over the world.”

Marta Ochoa '22

Master of Applied Leadership and Management
Ecuador

Requirements

- Good standing with Arizona State University
- Cumulative GPA of 3.0 or higher (no GMAT or GRE required)
- International experience (preferred)
- Submission of the online application, including:
 - Resumé documenting professional and academic history
 - 1 essay answering an application question

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