VERONICA VASQUEZ
MS-MIS 2017
Director, Risk and Information Management for the Community Legal Services of Mid-Florida Orlando, Florida

“My graduate education helped ensure the organizations I work for are managed in a better and more efficient way so they can achieve full potential and gain competitive advantage.”

JEFF OLSON
MS-MIS 2017
Vice President, IS Technology & CTO, Legacy Health Portland, Oregon

“The workload was manageable, and the tuition was reasonable. Earning my MS-MIS enhanced my skills and put me in a better position to further my career.”

- Ranked #9 among public schools
- Apply by March 1 for summer entry, June 1 for fall entry or Oct. 1 for spring entry
- Complete degree in two years

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“We’ve recently strengthened our top-ranked program’s curriculum to zero in on high-demand business analytics skills in addition to the best ways to manage the IT function within any enterprise. We know learning how to leverage this combined expertise will provide a competitive advantage for your company and your career.”

— Ashley Bush

MS-MIS Program Director and Sprint Professor of MIS
Chair, Department of Business Analytics, Information Systems and Supply Chain

GMAT waiver, scholarships available for qualified applicants

Curriculum

The Master of Science in Management Information Systems (MS-MIS) program consists of 33 credit hours. The core curriculum includes the following 21 credit hours:

- ISM 5021 Information and Technology Management (3 hrs)
- ISM 5123 Systems Analysis & Design (3 hrs)
- ISM 5206 Database Development & Management (3 hrs)
- ISM 5315 Project Management (3 hrs)
- ISM 5327 Corporate Information Security (3 hrs)
- ISM 5404 Business Intelligence
- ISM 5428 Knowledge Management (3 hrs)

Students complete the program by selecting 12 credit hours (four courses) from the list of approved electives from MBA and specialty master’s programs provided each semester by their academic advisor, such as:

- ACG 5026 Financial Reporting and Managerial Control (3 hrs)
- BUL 5810 The Legal & Ethical Environment of Business (3 hrs)
- FIN 5425 Problems in Financial Management (3 hrs)
- FIN 5515 Investment Management & Analysis (3 hrs)
- MAN 5245 Organizational Behavior (3 hrs)
- MAN 5501 Production and Operations Management (3 hrs)
- MAR 5125 Marketing Strategy in the Global Environment (3 hrs)
- MAR 5409 Business-to-Business Sales and Marketing (3 hrs)
- MAR 5465 Purchasing and Supply Chain Management (3 hrs)
- MAR 5861 Customer Relationship Management (3 hrs)
- MAR 5957 Global Business Seminar (3 hrs)
- REE 5005 Real Estate Valuation (3 hrs)
- REE 5205 Real Estate Finance (3 hrs)
- REE 5305 Real Estate Investment (3 hrs)
- RMI 5017 Fundamentals of Risk and Insurance (3 hrs)

Prerequisites

All MS-MIS applicants must have either (a) 2 years of technology-related work experience OR (b) an undergraduate degree in information technology, computer science or related field plus 2 years of general work experience.

Work experience is considered technology-related if an applicant uses specialized technologies (such as ERP systems, analytical systems, etc.) or manages technologies to achieve strategic goals. All applicants should have a basic understanding of programming languages, database concepts, and software analysis and design.

Please note: Program requirements are subject to change.

Cost of degree

Students pay the same price, plus applicable fees, for courses regardless of location. For a complete list of estimated costs, visit: business.fsu.edu/OnlineMIS

Admission guidelines

Admission to the MS-MIS program is highly competitive. The decision is based on a portfolio of qualifications, including prior academic performance, work experience, entrance exam scores (such as the GMAT or GRE) and letters of recommendation. The entrance exam is a university requirement that may be waived if an applicant meets certain criteria. For exact criteria and instructions on requesting waivers, see business.fsu.edu/waive.

Application process checklist

The following items should be submitted through the Florida State Graduate Application portal, available exclusively online at admissions.fsu.edu/gradapp:

- Applicant Statement
- Current resume/C.V. clearly indicating all post-college work experience, including dates and positions held, noting full-time or part-time employment.
- Two (2) letters of recommendation from employers or former college professors that speak specifically to the applicant’s ability to successfully complete the MS-MIS program (submitted by the recommenders in the online application).
- Florida Residency Declaration
- Nonrefundable application fee of $30.00 (see University Application or go to fees.fsu.edu)

The following items should be sent to the Graduate Admissions Office, 222 S. Copeland St./314 Westcott Building, Florida State University, Tallahassee, FL 32306-1410 or to graduateadmissions@fsu.edu:

- One (1) official transcript from all colleges and universities attended (FSU transcripts are not necessary for FSU alumni, students)
- Official GMAT/GRE score(s) and, if applicable, TOEFL/IELTS score(s) (The TOEFL/IELTS score is a University requirement for international applicants whose native language is not English and who have not completed an undergraduate or graduate degree from a U.S. institution or other institution where English is the required language of instruction; therefore, it cannot be waived). The code to send GMAT scores to Florida State is PN8K567, and the code to send GRE or TOEFL scores is 5219.

Note to international applicants: For more information concerning financial responsibilities, degree equivalency, etc., please visit: admissions.fsu.edu/international/graduate