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Choosing the right program for you

Voiceover:

At the Melbourne Graduate School of Management, students can choose from a wide range of coursework and research programs across key business disciplines, including accounting, actuarial studies, business and IT, management, economics, finance and marketing.

Kevin Chin, Master of Business and IT (part-time), Solution Analyst, Accenture:

I'm doing the Masters of Business and IT and I'm doing it because it will equip me with the technical skills necessary for the workforce. The program has helped me in my career by giving me access to knowledgeable people and experienced people in the field, and they have given me a great insight into the industries I'll be involved with. I'm currently employed full time at Accenture as an intern, I'm involved with a team that is implementing a new technology stack replacing several legacy systems.

Richard Gruner (Germany), PhD Scholar in the Department of Management and Marketing:

I'm doing a PhD in Management and Marketing and I chose it because it gives me the unique opportunity to work with top-class academics on an everyday basis. I think a PhD is a unique opportunity to build up networks and to have a constant conversation with industry leaders and other academics, so in that sense I think it could give me a competitive edge for my future career.

Angus Middleton (New Zealand), Master of International Business:

I'm studying the Master of International Business program. I chose the degree because of the strong reputation of Melbourne University, the focus on international studies, and bringing together a classroom of students from around the world with a range of work and cultural experiences.

Lily Zapata (El Salvador), Master of International Business:

I'm doing the Master of International Business. I chose the program because it offered me all that I was looking for, such as the diversity, the reputation that the University has, and also its location in the Asia-Pacific arena. The most that I enjoy in the MIB is the diversity that we have in the class. We have

many backgrounds and I think it gives an added value in the class and during our lectures. Before deciding to come to the MIB program I was looking for a change in my career and I think the MIB is going to give me the right combination of business and multicultural experiences that I need to make that happen.

Guilherme Gomes (Brazil), Master of Commerce (Finance):

I'm doing a Master of Commerce in Finance. What I like the most about my program is that the lecturers are very good and they teach us very interesting things that we're going to use in our future career. After graduating my plans are to look for a position in the financial market, maybe in an investment bank or other financial institutions. I'll probably look for a position here in Australia or my home country.

Irais Trejo (Mexico), Master of Financial Management, Intern Consultant, Business Strategies International (BSI):

I'm doing the Master of Financial Management and I chose the program because I wanted to specialise in finance, and when I first looked at it I thought the program at Melbourne University was very practical. We get lecturers who have been working in the area for long and they can transfer some of their expertise to us. Studying at a postgraduate level is different from studying at an undergraduate level in the sense that you're more critical about your subjects, about what you learn, you try to get the most out of the lecturers and the students you interact with in order to bring that to your professional career.

Professor Nasser Spear, Associate Dean (International):

When I meet students, I try to get a sense of their academic background, a sense of their career aspirations, and as much as possible, together we build a course plan that matches that career aspiration of theirs. We hope together that the learning outcome of the course is achieved in this process as well as continuous course planning throughout their study.

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Each program at the Melbourne GSM has a program director who looks after the academic development of each student, and who are available to consult with students at any point of their course.