



Name: Panduka Bupendra Wedisinghe
Employer: Aleph-labs Singapore
Designation: Mobile Application Engineer
Programme Studied: Adelaide Graduate Certificate in
Business Administration
Awarding Body: The University of Adelaide. Australia
Intake: April 2020

I came across the Adelaide MBA programme in Singapore during my search for postgraduate degree programmes. I enrolled in the programme as it fulfilled my criteria of reputable university, flexibility in study mode, and acquiring new skills for a future career change.

I am currently working as a software engineer and intend to switch into business aspects of the IT industry and this GCBA/MBA programme will certainly help me to build on my professional opportunities and grow my career while staying in the same industry. As I have already completed my GCBA, I would definitely like to progress to the MBA programme. I am confident that with the successful completion of my MBA, I will be able to achieve my career transition goals.



Name: Jonathan Wong
Employer: Beacon Consulting Pte Ltd
Designation: Training Consultant
Programme Studied: Master of Business Administration
Awarding Body: The University of Adelaide. Australia
Intake: 2019

I spent half a year exploring various postgraduate programmes offered in Singapore. It was through a chance encounter with a WSQ ACTA trainer that I was introduced to the MBA programme delivered by University of Adelaide. This MBA is perfect for me – well-planned curriculum that gave me a holistic framework to analyse the internal and external business environments as I sought to gain a better understanding of the critical success factors of a business.

In my current role as a training consultant with a consulting firm, the MBA gives me a very good anchor in my interaction with clients and helps me in diagnosing their issues and challenges. The programme also equipped me with key management skills to fulfil my aspiration to move into position with a top consulting firm in future. It has certainly broadened my view of the business world to get ahead.



Name: Shermann Foo
Employer: Self-Employed
Profession: Teaching
Programme Studied: Master of Business Administration
Awarding Body: The University of Adelaide. Australia
Intake: 2019

I am an educator and have always believed in lifelong learning. The Adelaide Master of Business Administration is my third master's degree. The intensive class schedule and the teaching by overseas faculty were the major criteria for my selection of an MBA programme. The MBA has provided me with a sound fundamental basis to start exploring into the depth of each area of business management, as well as insights and outlook on the changing nature of different industries. These skills and knowledge are important to keep up with the changing trends and stay relevant in my teaching profession.

One could never be finished with learning, so I regard the learning as a process rather than a destination. Doing a postgraduate degree provided me with a higher order of thinking across all the work that I do. This, I believe, gives me an edge in my career as I will always be thinking and looking at issues more deeply and further ahead.

Name: Ilina Ye

Course: Adelaide Graduate Certificate in Business Administration

Awarding Body: The University of Adelaide, Australia

Employer: Intercontinental Hotels Group

Designation: Development Marketing Manager

Intake: January 2020

In my current role as a Development Marketing Manager at Intercontinental Hotels Group, I felt I could benefit from pursuing an MBA to develop the skill set needed to better manage a team in today's challenging global landscape. Having done much research on the majority of the post graduate programme providers in Singapore, NAA's Adelaide GCBA/MBA programme seemed to fulfil all the correct criteria. The University of Adelaide has a reputable QS world university ranking score, is part of the Group of Eight research-intensive universities, and fully delivers the Singapore MBA programme with university faculty.

Taking the Graduate Certificate in Business Administration and continuing on to the MBA will be an excellent opportunity for me to further strengthen my understanding of the wider business world, and provide me with insights into management styles and decision-making at a higher level. The programme gives me an opportunity to network with peers from diverse industries and backgrounds and cultivates a shared learning experience.