

# Frequently asked questions: MBA in Hospitality



EHL HOSPITALITY BUSINESS SCHOOL

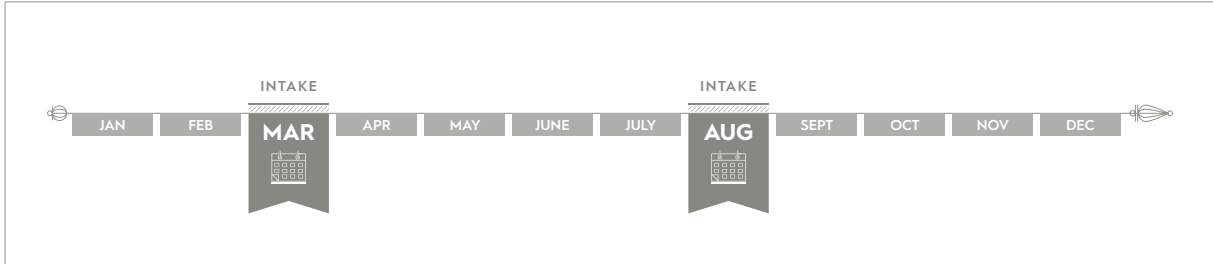
## ADMISSION PROCESS

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### 1 What are the intakes of the MBA?

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The MBA in Hospitality has intakes in March and August.



### 2 Can I apply for the MBA program without a degree or diploma?

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Certainly, you are eligible to apply for our MBA in Hospitality program. Nevertheless, in adherence to accreditation requirements, we can only admit 20% of the cohort without a Bachelor's degree, allowing for approximately 5 participants per intake.

### 3 Could you provide information on the average age and work experience?

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The average age stands at 40, with a minimum of 8 years of industry experience.

### 4 Is the application open to individuals from diverse backgrounds?

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Certainly, applicants with varied backgrounds are encouraged to apply, provided they possess a comprehensive understanding of the hospitality industry and share a goal in alignment with the program.

### 5 Is the completion of an English language test a compulsory requirement?

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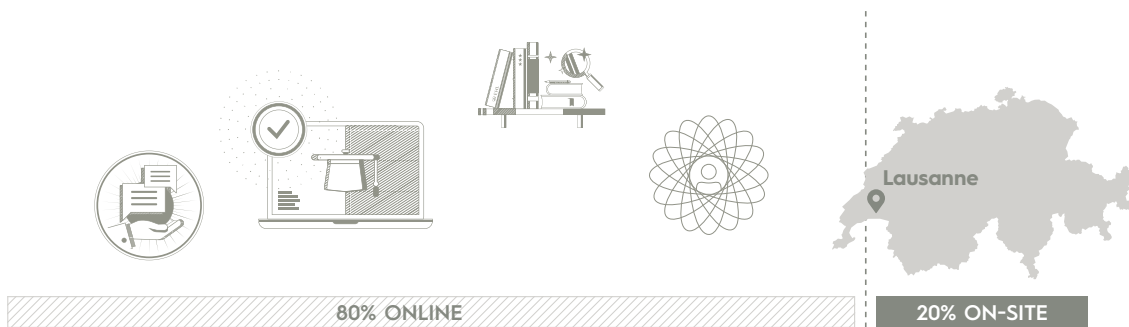
No, the exam requirement is waived for candidates who have either studied in English medium or have a work history in an English-speaking environment spanning over six years.

**6 Is there a fee associated with the course application?**

Yes, a non-refundable application fee of CHF 175 is applicable.

**7 Is the MBA a full-time or part-time course?**

The MBA in Hospitality is a part-time course, consisting of a blended format with 80% online and 20% on-site sessions at Lausanne, Switzerland.



**8 Is it possible to hold employment while pursuing the MBA?**

Certainly, you are permitted to work, considering that the program necessitates 15 hours per week for your studies.

**9 What is the program structure?**

The MBA program extends over a period of 24 months, encompassing six modules, three on-site visits at the EHL campus, a capstone project (additional 2.5 months), and requires a commitment of 15 hours of study per week.

**10 How are sessions adjusted to accommodate various time zones?**

We provide two connect sessions each day: one in the morning (08:00 to 10:00 a.m. Swiss time) and another in the evening (5:00 to 7:00 p.m. Swiss time). Students have the flexibility to choose based on their schedule, although attendance in at least one session is mandatory.

**11 How frequently will I be required to visit Lausanne within the 24-month duration?**

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Candidates are required to travel three times over the 24-month period, attending one-week sessions during the expert meets each time.



**12 What distinguishes the in-person experience in Lausanne from online courses?**

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In Lausanne, you will have the chance to personally meet faculty members and engage with your cohort, obtaining valuable on-campus exposure.

**13 Is on-campus accommodation available during my stay in Lausanne?**

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Certainly, you have the option to pre-book on-campus accommodation and make use of the available facilities

**14 What is the class size, and to what extent does it reflect international diversity?**

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Our cohort comprises 30 to 35 students, representing more than 20 nationalities, underscoring our commitment to maintaining small class sizes.

**15** How is the payment scheduled?

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The payment structure is adaptable, providing you with the option to choose between instalments (with no additional or concealed charges) or a total amount with an Early Bird discount.

**16** What are the average weekly expenses during the on-site week at Lausanne?

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Beyond the tuition fee, you'll need to set aside CHF 2,000 to cover on-site week expenses, including accommodation, meals, and local transportation.



**17** Is there any financial support for the MBA program ?

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Yes, we offer an Early Bird Discount of 4,000 CHF on the tuition fee.

EHL alumni are eligible for a 10% discount.

Additionally, we accept payments from companies or sponsors, allowing invoices to be tailored according to specific needs in terms of program sponsorship or individual payment arrangements. This ensures a versatile approach to accommodating various financial support structures for our MBA program.

We also offer structured finance bundle deals for our MBA program, tailored for companies considering sponsorship. Groups consisting of 3 participants are eligible for a substantial 5% discount per candidate. Enrolling 5 participants enhances the benefit to a 7% discount per candidate. Opting for a group enrollment of 10 participants qualifies for a 10% discount per candidate.

Discounts cannot be combined. Kindly select the option that aligns most closely with your preferences. Only one discount is applicable.