

PMBA Policy on electives applied toward an International Concentration

- ◆ To earn an INTL concentration three (3) courses consisting of nine (9) elective credits within the INTL curriculum must be taken; these 9-credit hours must fall within the approved policy described here.
- ◆ A maximum of two total trips (various combinations of INTL 604 or 606) is allowed per student.
- ◆ Students may participate in two Global Consulting Projects (INTL 604); **however, this prevents the earning of an INTL concentration as only 3-credits of INTL 604 can be applied toward an INTL concentration.**
- ◆ Business in Emerging Markets (INTL 606) may NOT be repeated or taken twice.

INTL Electives and INTL Concentration

PMBA students who wish to earn an INTL concentration in the program should note that 6 of the required 9 elective hours must be taken from the following INTL courses:

- INTL 601 Int'l Management
- INTL 602 Int'l Marketing
- INTL 603 Int'l Finance
- INTL 606 Doing Business in Emerging Markets
- INTL 608 Managing Technology in a Global Environment
- INTL 609 Global Supply Chain Management

Below are three samples of INTL elective combinations that would be approved for a concentration, and one sample of what would not earn a concentration.

Would be **APPROVED** for INTL concentration

1. Sample approved INTL concentration for P's with one trip:

INTL 604 Global Consulting Project (**trip**)
INTL 601, 602, 603, 608, 609 Various INTL electives – classroom only, no travel (**TWO of these**)

2. Sample approved INTL concentration for P's with two trips:

INTL606 Business in Emerging Markets (**trip**)
INTL 604 Global Consulting Project (**trip**)
INTL 601, 602, 603, 608, 609 Various INTL electives – classroom only, no travel (**ONE of these**)

3. Sample approved INTL concentration for P's with no travel:

INTL 601, 602, 603, 608, 609 Various INTL electives – class room only, no travel

Any combination of three of these would qualify for an INTL concentration

Would **NOT** be **APPROVED** for INTL Concentration

Sample of what's NOT allowed:

INTL 601, 602, 603, 608, 609 Various INTL electives – class room only, no travel (**ONE of these**)
INTL 604 Global Consulting Project (**trip**)
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Sample of what's NOT allowed for concentration*:

INTL 601, 602, 603, 606, 608, 609 Various INTL electives (**One of these**)
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** An INTL concentration cannot be earned with three courses that are all trip based, one class must be entirely classroom based. All PMBA students are limited to two total international elective trips **regardless of whether or not you are trying to earn an INTL concentration.** Please note – students would be allowed to take this configuration of electives, it simply will not earn an INTL concentration. Concentrations are not required.*

**Students are limited to a maximum of three (3) electives in any one academic area.*