

# MBA

Master of Business Administration  
2025-2026





## Why the MBA at Clermont School of Business?

Clermont School of Business MBA is designed for experienced professionals and executives who wish to advance their careers without putting their jobs on hold. Here are some key reasons to choose our MBA:

### Career Advancement

- Opens doors to leadership roles (C-suite, director-level positions).
- Enhances strategic thinking and decision-making skills.
- Increases earning potential.

### Networking Opportunities

- Connect with experienced professionals, faculty, and alumni.
- Expand business connections globally.
- Gain access to industry insights and mentorship.

### Skill Enhancement

- Develop leadership, finance, marketing, and operations expertise.
- Learn real-world problem-solving strategies.
- Improve negotiation and communication skills.

### Apply Knowledge in Real-Time

- Continue working while studying.
- Immediately implement learned strategies in your organization.

### Global Perspective

- Exposure to international business trends and markets.
- Opportunity for global immersions or study tours.

The MBA programme is offered at the Dubai campus.



# 15.5k

Graduates From  
112 Countries

# 620

Partner Companies  
in the World

# 106

Years of History  
1919 - 2025

# 100

Top Best Business Schools  
Financial Times Ranking



## ABOUT Clermont School of Business

Clermont School of Business was founded more than 100 years ago, in 1919. Since then, over 15,500 graduates have contributed their talents and skills to business institutions worldwide, from the Auvergne Rhône-Alpes region in central France, where the School is located, to Paris, London, New York, Dubai, Singapore, Beijing, and many other international hubs. With a strong international presence, Clermont School of Business has four campuses across the globe: the historic site in Clermont-Ferrand, France, and campuses in Marrakech (Morocco), Beijing, and Shanghai (China).

What began as a small institution in Clermont-Ferrand (home to the headquarters of Michelin Tire Company) has grown into a globally recognized business school. It is accredited by AACSB and obtained AMBA accreditation in 2020 for its MBA – Executive Master in Management programme.

Clermont School of Business holds the prestigious AACSB, AMBA and EFMD Bachelor accreditations: distinctions held by only 6% of schools worldwide. It is also one of the oldest business schools in France. The School's Programme Grande École (Master in Management) is consistently ranked among the world's Top 100 by the Financial Times, while four of its six MSc – Master of Science programmes are recognized in the QS World University Rankings. It also holds the highest national accreditations in France for its Bachelor's and Master's degrees, certified by the Ministry of Higher Education and Research (MESR).

Clermont School of Business is a member of the Conférence des Grandes Écoles, an association of highly selective and prestigious institutions officially recognized by the French state.





## Dr. Richard Soparnot

The Dean of Clermont School of Business

It is indeed a pleasure and honour for me as the Dean of Clermont School of Business to welcome you to our Master in Business Administration programme, to help you improve and develop your organisational and personal capacities and capabilities.

The tough and heavily competitive global markets demand that CEOs and business leaders enhance investment in capital and talents, equip themselves to face upcoming challenges and pressures, and develop strategies and guidelines to steer and navigate through the turbulent conditions ahead.

Our top professors will ensure that their years of experience in managing and leading global companies will be shared with you, and indeed help you gain more insight and wisdom in your daily decision-making to further elevate your personal and professional life.

Our school, with over 100 years of experience in the world of higher education and over 15 500 graduates, will be your best educational partner to help you reach higher levels of prosperity and success.

Thank you and hope to see you soon.

Dr. Richard Soparnot

The Dean of Clermont School of Business





# Our Professors ...



Dr. Richard Soparnot   Dr. Dorron Otter   Dr. Ian Rheeder   Dr. Denis Cauvier   Dr. Adrian Furnham   Dr. Graeme Codrington   Dr. Markus Prandini   Dr. Beat Buhlman   Dr. Gilbert Silvius   Dr. Mondher Cherif   Prof. Mathias Schuz   Dr. Helga Joopen

## ■ Dr. Dorron Otter

Economics

## ■ Dr. Ian Rheeder

Accounting & Financial Analysis

## ■ Dr. Denis Cauvier

Leadership & HR Strategies

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Strategic Human Resources  
Management

## ■ Dr. Adrian Furnham

Organizational Behavior

## ■ Dr. Graeme Codrington

From Business Model to Business  
Plan

## ■ Dr. Markus Prandini

From Creativity to Innovation  
Implementation

## ■ Dr. Beat Buhlman

Digital Transformation & Tools for  
organizations

## ■ Dr. Gilbert Silvius

Entrepreneurship & Project Management

## ■ Dr. Richard Soparnot

Strategic Management & Value  
Creation

## ■ Prof. Mathias Schuz

Business Law & Internationalization of  
Companies

## ■ Dr. Helga Joopen

Writing & Preparation for dissertation



# More than 100 Years of History & 15000 Graduates

- A Degree From A Triple Accredited, Financial Times Ranked Business School
- 15 Courses of 3 Days (45 Days of Training with World Class Professors)
- Each Course Takes Place Every Month (15 courses in 12 months)
- 20% Scholarship Provided for the GCC Nationals & Residents
- More than 100 Years of History and 15/000 Graduates





# Some of our Notable Alumni & Famous Graduates

## Pierre Alexandre CORNILLON

Responsable Relations LLD et Valeurs Résiduelles, BMW Group France



## Hélène ETZI

Country Manager, The Walt Disney Company



## Florian HUMEZ

Directeur des affaires publiques, Q Energy



## Eric MAUGEIN

Non Executive Director, Games Workshop



## Guillaume COURRIAUD

Finance Director, Group corporate controlling, Smardt Chiller Group



## Sandrine GROSLIER

Global President Luxe Fragrance Brands, L'Oréal



## Olivier MOUROUX

Head of Animation Publicity, Netflix



## Vincent Tourette

Général UK Irlande, Renault



## Admission Requirements:

- Over 5 Years of Professional Work Experience
- Bachelor Degree
- Admission through the Interview


A Great School of Management on a Human Scale...





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