

UNIVERSIDAD TORCUATO DI TELLA

Business School Fact Sheet 2017-2018



SHORT DESCRIPTION:

In spite of its short history, since 1991 UTDT has positioned itself among the top higher education institutions in Argentina and in Latin America. With a strong commitment to academic excellence, equal opportunity and pluralism, the University's mission is to educate new generations of academic, social, political and business leaders, and to advance research and scholarship in the arts and sciences.

The Business School at Universidad Torcuato Di Tella is considered to be an important hub of production of new ideas and knowledge for the business community both in Argentina and in Latin America. It is also renowned for its pedagogic excellence, which is applied to its undergraduate, graduate and executive education programs.

Our objective is to form the best business leaders in the region and to contribute to knowledge production through state-of-the art academic research. This is carried out by our professors, who were educated in the top European and North American universities, and who have experience in the most successful companies world-wide.

Academic excellence, international perspective and a vigorous community of students and alumni are the Business School's distinctive characteristics.



PROGRAM'S WEBSITES:

MBA: www.utdt.edu/mba (taught in Spanish)

Exchange: www.utdt.edu/exchange (taught in Spanish)

Doing Business in Argentina: www.utdt.edu/micrositios/dbia/#admision

(taught in English)

Business in Emerging Markets: (taught in English) www.utdt.edu/micrositios/uem/

CONTACT INFORMATION:

Exchange - exchange@utdt.edu

Doing Business in Argentina - dbia@utdt.edu

Business in Emerging Markets - programasinternacionales@utdt.edu

Tel: +(54 11) 5169- 7211/7106

Address: Av. Figueroa Alcorta 7350 (C1428BCW) - Buenos Aires - Argentina

APPLICATION DEADLINES:

Regular exchanges: April 15th / November 1st Doing Business in Argentina: February 1st Business in Emerging Markets: September 15th

APPLICATION DOCUMENTS*:

Exchanges: Please see this link

- > Application form
- > Copy of personal information page of passport
- > Official University transcript including the grades of most recent semester/quarter
- > Proof of Spanish language proficiency
- > Scan of a recent passport- sized picture
- > CV (résumé)
- > Motivation letter in Spanish explaining why you want to study at UTDT
- > Acknowledgement of Risks and Release of Responsibility form

Doing Business in Argentina: Please see this link

- > Application form
- Copy of personal information page of passport
- > Official University transcript including the grades of most recent semester/quarter
- Scan of a recent passport- sized picture
- > CV (résumé)
- > Acknowledgement of Risks and Release of Responsibility form

Business in Emerging Markets: Please see this link

- > Application form
- > Copy of personal information page of passport
- > Official University transcript including the grades of most recent semester/quarter
- > Scan of a recent passport- sized picture
- > CV (résumé)
- > Acknowledgement of Risks and Release of Responsibility form

*all applicants must demonstrate at least three years of professional work experience.

FACULTY INFORMATION:

Outstanding scholars and practitioners compose our Business Faculty. The MBA faculty bios may be viewed **here**. The list of Business School faculty is available **here**.

DATES:

Exchange: the MBA is taught in 6 modules which run from April to November.

Doing Business in Argentina: duration 1 week. It is held during the second week of March each year. Business in Emerging Markets: duration 1 to 3 weeks (students can choose 1, 2 or the 3 modules that make up this program). It is held during the second, third and fourth weeks of January each year.

WORK LOAD:

Exchanges: students take two courses per module.

They may be taken intensively (classes are taught on Friday from 2 to 9 pm and on Saturday from 8 am to 5.15 pm evey fortnight over 3 weeks) or in the regular modality (classes are taught three evenings per week from 7 to 10 pm over 8 weeks)

GRADING:

UTDT uses the following letter grading system:

- A Outstanding 10
- A Outstanding minus 9
- **B** + Very good plus 8
- **B** Very good 7
- **B** Very good minus 6
- C + Satisfactory plus 5
- C Satisfactory 4
- **D** Fail 2
- F Fail 1
- **U** Absent U

HOUSING:

UTDT is not a residential university. However, there are plenty of housing alternatives in the city for international students. Upon acceptance students receive a list of alternative housing options, including apartments, shared homes, home stays, etc. The most chosen neighborhoods by our international students are Belgrano, Cañitas, Palermo and Recoleta.

Students coming to shorter programs generally choose to stay at the Recoleta hotels suggested on the different program websites.

HEALTH INSURANCE:

All students must have and show proof of a health insurance that covers medical visits in Argentina, hospitalization, emergency care, medical evacuation and repatriation of mortal remains. UTDT suggests that students obtain the insurance offered by William Hope. Further information may be found in **this link**

BUENOS AIRES:

The city of Buenos Aires is a vibrant cosmopolis where visitors can never get bored. Arts, sports, culture, gastronomy, night life - Buenos Aires has it. More information:

https://turismo.buenosaires.gob.ar/en

ESTIMATED LIVING EXPENSES:

Estimated costs per month in USD:

> Room and board: 800
> Health insurance: 85
> Transportation: 30
> Books and supplies: 40
> Personal expenses: 200