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INTRODUCING THE FULL-TIME STRATHCLYDE MBA STUDENTS

We are thrilled to showcase our full-time MBA class who will be embarking on their final projects in summer 2025. This group will be graduating in November 2025 with their MBA, alongside a wealth of knowledge and expertise.

This book aims to give you a brief overview of our students' experience and background.

ARNAV MISHRA

PERSONAL SUMMARY

3.5 years experience in Quality Assurance engineering in IT industry (Transunion).

WHERE DO YOU SEE YOUR CAREER DEVELOPING AFTER THE MBA?

I would like to see myself transitioning to a higher managerial role or start my own business in medical sector.

PROFILE	EDUCATION	CONTACT
Nationality: Indian	Vellore Institute of Technology	LinkedIn: https://www.linkedin.com/in/arnav-mishra-6ba43918b
Languages: English Hindi	Bachelor of Technology	

RECENT PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Quality Assurance Engineer
Transunion
Nov 2020 – July 2024



CONG MA

PERSONAL SUMMARY

14 years working experience in Human Resource Management in ICT industry.

WHERE DO YOU SEE YOUR CAREER DEVELOPING AFTER THE MBA?

Self-employed or to be Secretary of the Board of Directors.

PROFILE	EDUCATION	CONTACT
Nationality: Chinese Languages: Chinese Mandarin English	Hebei Vocational College of Foreign Languages Hospitality Management	LinkedIn: https://linkedin.com/in/crystalplane1115

RECENT PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

GM Assistant and HRD
Zhejiang Saisi Electronic Technology Co. Ltd
2015 - 2022



DANNY ANSELL

PERSONAL SUMMARY

Co-founder of personalised, sustainable and authentic travel company, Discover Your Vietnam
Owner of Drift Saigon - a cocktail bar and restaurant
Education programme manager - specialising in 4.0 program

WHERE DO YOU SEE YOUR CAREER DEVELOPING AFTER THE MBA?

Using the experience to transform and develop my career in the UK.

PROFILE	EDUCATION	CONTACT
Nationality: British Languages: English	Cardiff University First Class Honours (San Francisco State University 2nd year - 4.0)	LinkedIn: https://www.linkedin.com/in/danny-ansell-030839215/

RECENT PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

CEO & Co-Founder Discover Your Vietnam Feb 2022 - Present	Owner Drift Saigon Aug 2020 - Jan 2023	4.0 Program Manager Nov 2018 - Feb 2022
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DEVYANI NEGI

PERSONAL SUMMARY

Licenced Architect with 6.5 years of experience working as a designer and project manager for high-end commercial and residential projects. In charge of designing, project planning, budgeting, coordinating and supervising execution of turnkey construction projects. Passionate about luxury residential interior designing.

WHERE DO YOU SEE YOUR CAREER DEVELOPING AFTER THE MBA?

Having worked with a small organisation, where I got a chance to build a foundation in managing projects and cross-functional teams, I believe the MBA will help me structure and enhance my fundamental knowledge to apply for managerial roles in large organisations and eventually launch my design practice.

PROFILE	EDUCATION	CONTACT
Nationality: Indian	Kamla Raheja Vidyanidhi Institute for Architecture	LinkedIn: https://linkedin.com/in/devyani-negi-4833b5289
Languages: English Hindi	Bachelor of Architecture	

RECENT PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Senior Architect & Project Manager We Design Studio Sept 2020 – Sept 2024	Junior Architect We Design Studio Nov 2016 – April 2019	Intern SJK Architects Dec 2015 – April 2016
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GORDON DRENNAN

PERSONAL SUMMARY

Owner of multiple estate agencies, 15 years' experience, winner of multiple industry awards.

WHERE DO YOU SEE YOUR CAREER DEVELOPING AFTER THE MBA?

I hope to use my MBA to start a new career in Canada.

PROFILE	EDUCATION	CONTACT
Nationality: Scottish Languages: English	University of Strathclyde Bachelor of Business Administration (2:1)	LinkedIn: https://www.linkedin.com/in/gordon-d

RECENT PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Foster Carer
2012 - Present



KHADIJA FURRUQH

PERSONAL SUMMARY

10+ years of sales and customer facing experience in both the architecture and education industry. I have also worked under the regional sales director of India and MENA at Quacquarelli Symonds, which ranks universities around the world.

WHERE DO YOU SEE YOUR CAREER DEVELOPING AFTER THE MBA?

My aim is to use the experience I've gained in small companies to transition into a consultancy career within a larger organisation, with the ultimate goal of starting my own business.

PROFILE	EDUCATION	CONTACT
Nationality: Indian Languages: English Hindi Kannada	Bachelor of Commerce Diploma in Interior Design	LinkedIn: https://www.linkedin.com/in/khadija-furruqh-59b60b8a/

RECENT PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Client Relations Executive QS I-GAUGE Jan 2018 – Oct 2019	Business Development Manager KARIGAR INDIA – ROOTS Nov 2019 – Feb 2022	Senior Sales & Business Development Manager Atticarch Mar 2022 - June 2024
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MUDIT LAMBA

PERSONAL SUMMARY

7 years diverse experience in policy making and execution, human resource management and operations while working for the Food Corporation of India in the Government of India's prestigious food security programs such as PMGKAY, NFSA, PSS and PSF.

WHERE DO YOU SEE YOUR CAREER DEVELOPING AFTER THE MBA?

Post MBA, I want to enter into Strategic Management or General Management role to advance the operational outcomes of the organisation by increasing the efficiency of the operations resulting in savings and bettering the cause by reaching the end users in a more optimum and responsible manner alongside creating a sustainable societal impact.

PROFILE	EDUCATION	CONTACT
Nationality: Indian	Indira Gandhi National Open University	LinkedIn: https://www.linkedin.com/in/mudit-lamba-072a74283/
Languages: Indian English Punjabi	Master of Arts in Public Administration D.C.R. University of Science and Technology Bachelor of Technology in Mechanical Engineering	

RECENT PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Manager (Personnel/ Movement) Food Corporation of India, Oct 2023 – Sept 2024	Manager (General) Food Corporation of India, Feb 2019 – Sept 2023	Manager (Sales) Food Corporation of India Sept 2017 - Feb 2019
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MYA M. THWE

PERSONAL SUMMARY

8 years international experience in commercial management and research in various industries from energy to security.

WHERE DO YOU SEE YOUR CAREER DEVELOPING AFTER THE MBA?

Upon graduation of the programme, I aim to build on my commercial background and work in an asset management company with a concentration in private equity based in UK or an emerging market.

PROFILE	EDUCATION	CONTACT
Nationality: Myanmar Languages: Burmese English	James Madison University Bachelor of Arts in Political Science	LinkedIn: https://www.linkedin.com/in/myathwe/

RECENT PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Commercial Analyst Sembcorp Myingyan Power Company Mar 2024 - Sept 2024	Senior Analyst Exera Jul 2022 - Mar 2024	Operations Management Kanbaur Tin-Tungsten Feb 2019 - Jan 2022
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NEEL JOSHI

PERSONAL SUMMARY

With a career spanning half a decade in luxury hospitality, I have led impactful guest experiences, managed room inventories for 415 rooms, and successfully driven loyalty initiatives. I've also overseen corporate catering and group travel portfolios across India and internationally, including the UK, Dubai, and Australia.

WHERE DO YOU SEE YOUR CAREER DEVELOPING AFTER THE MBA?

Post-MBA, I aim to transition into management within a global firm, focusing on innovation and sustainable strategies. Ultimately, I aspire to lead an organisation, inspire teams, foster creativity, and create a global, forward-thinking business.

PROFILE	EDUCATION	CONTACT
Nationality: Indian	Indira Gandhi National Open University	LinkedIn: https://www.linkedin.com/in/neelrjoshi
Languages: English Marathi Hindi	Bachelor of Science (Hospitality and Hotel Administration)	

RECENT PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Operations Manager Creative Designs July 2023 - July 2024	Sales Executive JW Marriott, Pune Jan 2023 - June 2023	Front Office Executive JW Marriott, Pune Oct 2018 - July 2022
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PRANAY MALIK

PERSONAL SUMMARY

6 years experience in data science, project management and AI solutions. Specialised in leveraging data science to drive decision making and lead cross functional teams across multiple industries.

WHERE DO YOU SEE YOUR CAREER DEVELOPING AFTER THE MBA?

I see my career evolving into a leadership role and driving strategic decisions for the organisation while also spearheading AI initiatives within the organisation. I aim to combine my technical experience with my business knowledge and launch a product-based start-up in the near future.

PROFILE	EDUCATION	CONTACT
Nationality: Indian	Vellore Institute of Technology	LinkedIn: https://www.linkedin.com/in/pranay-malik-1807
Languages: English Hindi	Bachelor of Technology in Electrical and Electronics Engineering	

RECENT PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Associate Manager Factspan Analytics Dec 2022 - Aug 2024	Senior Business Analyst Quantiphi Mar 2021 - Nov 2022	Lead, Research and Analytics Concentrix Aug 2018 - Mar 2021
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RASHMI GUPTA

PERSONAL SUMMARY

Experienced operations and project management professional, acknowledged for achieving outstanding outcomes in aftermarket services by fostering strategic leadership and optimising team capabilities.

WHERE DO YOU SEE YOUR CAREER DEVELOPING AFTER THE MBA?

With my MBA, I intend to harness my wide-ranging industry experience and global viewpoint to transition into strategic leadership positions, concentrating on boosting organisational growth, cultivating innovation, and providing significant value to clients in rapidly changing markets.

PROFILE	EDUCATION	CONTACT
Nationality: Indian Languages: English Hindi Bengali	Institute of Chartered Financial Analysts of India (ICFAI) University, Tripura Chartered Financial Analyst	LinkedIn: https://www.linkedin.com/in/rashmi-gupta-2467b077/

RECENT PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Assistant Manager
Genpact India Pvt. Ltd.
2021 - 2024



SAGAR PAWAR

PERSONAL SUMMARY

4 years and 11 months experience in software development, specifically in the General Insurance domain.

WHERE DO YOU SEE YOUR CAREER DEVELOPING AFTER THE MBA?

My goal is to apply and execute the skills and knowledge I acquire during my curriculum to advance into a management position in an organisation where I can contribute to innovation. I aim to leverage my prior experience, along with the insights gained from my cohort, to help build a successful business.

PROFILE	EDUCATION	CONTACT
Nationality: Indian Languages: Marathi Hindi English	Scientific Society of the Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology Postgraduate Diploma in Advance Computing	LinkedIn: https://linkedin.com/in/sagar-pawar-819661193

RECENT PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Senior Software Developer
Ezytek Consulting Pvt. Ltd. And Nichebit Softech Pvt. Ltd.
Nov 2019 - Sept 2024



SHUBHAM AGARWAL

PERSONAL SUMMARY

Seasoned Program Manager with over 16 years leading multidisciplinary teams in military and corporate sectors. Proven track record in strategic risk management, process optimisation, and technological innovation. Expertise in delivering complex programs with significant cost savings and operational efficiency.

WHERE DO YOU SEE YOUR CAREER DEVELOPING AFTER THE MBA?

Targeting aerospace and defence consultancy to leverage military leadership and program management skills. Aim to drive strategic innovation, digital transformation, and high-impact solutions addressing complex defence challenges while enhancing organisational efficiency and technological advancement.

PROFILE	EDUCATION	CONTACT
Nationality: Indian	Cochin University of Science and Technology	LinkedIn: https://www.linkedin.com/in/lt-cdr-shubham-agarwal/
Languages: English Hindi	MSc Air Operations Management	
	Goa University BSc Naval Science	

RECENT PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Executive Officer Indian Navy 2006 - 2017	Founder Dream Catchers Community 2017 - 2019	Senior Project Manager London Stock Exchange 2020 - 2022
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STELLA PARRAS

PERSONAL SUMMARY

6 years experience in financial services, focusing on risk advisory projects that include internal audit, consulting, and project planning and management.

WHERE DO YOU SEE YOUR CAREER DEVELOPING AFTER THE MBA?

I envision advancing to a higher managerial position within the financial services industry, where I aim to enhance my skills in overseeing people, finances, and operations by applying the skills gained from my MBA.

PROFILE	EDUCATION	CONTACT
Nationality: Indian Languages: English Hindi	University of Mumbai Bachelor of Commerce with a specialisation in Banking and Insurance	LinkedIn: https://www.linkedin.com/in/stella-parras-91509a15a

RECENT PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Senior Associate PwC July 2018 - Oct 2020	Assistant Manager Grant Thornton Nov 2020 - July 2024
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VAISAKH VARRIER

PERSONAL SUMMARY

I have experience in social media management and production at Kinnect FCB, overseeing campaigns and creative projects. My role includes crafting strategies, collaborating with teams, and producing engaging content. I specialise in aligning social media marketing with brand goals, building online communities, and enhancing social media branding across platforms.

WHERE DO YOU SEE YOUR CAREER DEVELOPING AFTER THE MBA?

After my MBA, I aim to transition into strategic leadership roles in marketing or brand management. Leveraging my experience in social media and production, I aspire to work globally, preferably in London, driving brand growth through innovative campaigns, data-driven strategies, and collaboration, shaping brand strategy and influencing key decisions.

PROFILE	EDUCATION	CONTACT
Nationality: Indian	Kerala University B.Com, National College	LinkedIn: https://www.linkedin.com/in/vaisakh-varrier-001/
Languages: Malayalam English Hindi	Xavier's Institute of Communication Postgraduate Diploma	

RECENT PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Senior Creative Lead Sportskeeda April 2022 – Aug 2024	Senior Strategy Executive FCB Kinnect June 2020 – Mar 2022	Production Lead AAMS Infotech Sept 2017 - Mar 2019
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VINAY KUMAR SHIVANNA MELI

PERSONAL SUMMARY

I have a strong foundation in project engineering, with experience across multiple roles in construction management. I have a proficiency in tools like Autocad, Microsoft Project, Primavera, alongside leadership and problem-solving skills.

WHERE DO YOU SEE YOUR CAREER DEVELOPING AFTER THE MBA?

I can leverage my project engineering background to move into senior management roles within the construction industry. I want to focus on strategic project management, operations or consulting, helping companies optimise processes, manage large scale projects, and implement innovative solutions in construction technology.

PROFILE	EDUCATION	CONTACT
Nationality: Indian	Visveswaraya Technological University	LinkedIn: https://www.linkedin.com/in/vinay-kumar-s-m-9ba985128/
Languages: English Hindi Kannada Telugu	Bachelor of Engineering National institute of construction management and Research Postgraduate Programme in Project Engineering and Management	

RECENT PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Project Manager
SJR Primecorp Pvt Ltd. Bangalore.
Jan 2021 - Jan 2024



YOUNESS EL KACEM

PERSONAL SUMMARY

14 years professional experience in HR & Payroll Management within manufacturing and industrial organisation.

WHERE DO YOU SEE YOUR CAREER DEVELOPING AFTER THE MBA?

My goal is to move into a management or leadership position where I can use my skills to drive strategic initiatives and lead teams effectively.

PROFILE	EDUCATION	CONTACT
Nationality: Morocco Languages: Arabic French English	Grenoble Business School Masters in HR Management	LinkedIn: https://www.linkedin.com/in/youness-el-kacem-155342106/

RECENT PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

HR Manager
OCP Group
May 2008 - Present



ZACH CRAWFORD

PERSONAL SUMMARY

5 years as General Manager of EMEA business unit for multinational corporation.

WHERE DO YOU SEE YOUR CAREER DEVELOPING AFTER THE MBA?

Looking for a change in direction... more local, perhaps consultancy with local businesses to tap into my experience.

PROFILE	EDUCATION	CONTACT
Nationality: Scottish/British Languages: English	University of Strathclyde BSc Hons Applied Chemistry	LinkedIn: https://www.linkedin.com/in/zach-crawford-6435668b/

RECENT PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

General Manager ColorMatrix Europe Ltd / Avient Corporation 2019 - 2024	Global Product Manager Director PolyOne Corporation 2018 - 2019	Marketing Director ColorMatrix Group 2016 - 2018
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ZEESHAN QURAISHI

PERSONAL SUMMARY

I have extensive experience in eCommerce sales and operations, managing key accounts, optimising processes, and driving revenue growth through strategic initiatives and effective customer relationship management.

WHERE DO YOU SEE YOUR CAREER DEVELOPING AFTER THE MBA?

After my MBA, I aim to leverage my business and leadership skills to take on strategic roles in eCommerce or tech-driven industries. I see myself leading cross-functional teams, driving growth initiatives, and contributing to digital transformation, ultimately progressing into senior management or entrepreneurship.

PROFILE	EDUCATION	CONTACT
Nationality: Indian Languages: English Hindi Urdu	Amity University Bachelor of Technology (Mechanical Engineering)	LinkedIn: https://www.linkedin.com/in/zeeshan-ahmad-a59018108/

RECENT PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Key Account Manager - Category Meesho April 2024 – Sept 2024	Team Leader Flipkart (Startek) Jan 2023 – Feb 2024	Senior Operations Executive Startek July 2021 – Jan 2023
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