KRANNERT SCHOOL OF MANAGEMENT
COMBINED DEGREE PROGRAM

INDUSTRIAL ENGINEERING/
MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION (MBA)

PROGRAM PROCESS
The program will allow students to complete their BS and MBA degrees in five years. The MBA is seen as a complement to the engineer’s technical education and many employers have a strong preference for hiring graduates with this background. Purdue’s College of Engineering and Krannert School of Management have many longstanding relationships with leading employers in these fields giving our graduates a competitive edge.

Requirements to apply to the IE/MBA Combined Degree Program

- Completion of 108 credit hours of coursework (that may include up to 8 hours of AP credit in math) by the end of their junior year, including the required major courses identified in the plan of study
- Have a minimum 3.7 GPA (3.5 GPA with strong leadership and internship experience will be considered)
- Completion of at least one professional internship
- Demonstration of leadership through extra-curricular activities
- Prior contact with Pat Brunese, IE Senior Academic Administrator

- Students are also required to schedule a meeting with the Purdue MBA and Master’s Program Admissions Office to determine the student’s readiness to enter master-level coursework and review credit hour requirements. After interviews, students will be counseled by staff with recommendations about the potential viability of their application.

- Students who are encouraged to apply will complete the Graduate School application in early spring of their junior year. Admissions decisions will be made in time for them to complete plans for the upcoming year.

- IE students entering the MBA program will be required to take 60 credit hours of master’s level courses once they enter the program. Any master’s level courses completed prior to their enrollment cannot be used to meet requirements of the MBA.

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