Academic Affairs Guidance

For Students enrolled AY2023 Waseda Business School



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WBS Bulletin

The WBS Bulletin includes information about completion requirements, the grading system, regulations for leaves of absence and study abroad, and a list of faculty members' addresses.

Below is the link for the WBS Bulletin : https://waseda.box.com/s/p66zml81d0e3lfy31gyb640tfso5boyj

Guidelines for the Course Registration

There is a limit to the number of courses you can register for, and you cannot overlap registration for courses offered in the same time slot. If you have any questions about course registration, please look at the guidelines first.

Below is the link for the Guidelines for the Course Registration: https://www.waseda.jp/fcom/wbs/assets/uploads/2023/08/202309_Fall_tebiki _____MBA_E-1.pdf



Academic Calendar

Fall Semester

The Fall Semester consists of 2 Quarters:

- 1. Fall Quarter (Weeks 1 7)
- 2. Winter Quarter (Weeks 8 14)

Fall Semester Courses

WBS offers 4 types of courses during the Fall Semester:

- 1. Fall Semester courses (courses that span over the full 14 weeks of the Fall Semester)
- 2. Fall Quarter courses (courses that span over the 7 weeks of the Fall Quarter)
- 3. Winter Quarter courses (courses that span over the 7 weeks of the Winter Quarter)
- 4. Intensive courses

Block 1: Monday 5 Feb – Saturday 10 Feb Block 2: Tuesday 13 Feb – Sunday 18 Feb

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	Schedule for Semester Course	Schedule for Quarter Course		Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	
Week	1Session		1-2 Session	2023/10/9	2023/10/10	2023/10/11	2023/10/5	2023/10/6	2023/10/7	
2Week	2Session		3-4 Session	2023/10/16	2023/10/17	2023/10/18	2023/10/12	2023/10/13	2023/10/14	
3Week	3Session		5-6 Session	2023/10/23	2023/10/24	2023/10/25	2023/10/19	2023/10/20	2023/10/21	
Week	4Session	Fall Quarter	7-8 Session	2023/10/30	2023/10/31	2023/11/1	2023/10/26	2023/10/27	2023/10/28	
Week	5Session		9-10 Session	2023/11/6	2023/11/7	2023/11/8	2023/11/2	2023/11/10	2023/11/11	
Week	6Session		11-12 Session	2023/11/13	2023/11/14	2023/11/15	2023/11/9	2023/11/17	2023/11/18	
Week	7Session		13-14 Session	2023/11/20	2023/11/21	2023/11/22	2023/11/16	2023/11/24	2023/11/25	
Week	8Session		1-2 Session	2023/11/27	2023/11/28	2023/11/29	2023/11/30	2023/12/1	2023/12/2	
Week	9Session	Winter Quarter		3-4 Session	2023/12/4	2023/12/5	2023/12/6	2023/12/7	2023/12/8	2023/12/9
)Week	10Session		5-6 Session	2023/12/11	2023/12/12	2023/12/13	2023/12/14	2023/12/15	2023/12/16	
Week	11Session		7-8 Session	2023/12/18	2023/12/19	2023/12/20	2023/12/21	2023/12/22	2023/12/23	
Week	12Session		9-10 Session	2023/12/25	2024/1/9	2024/1/10	2024/1/11	2024/1/12	2024/1/13	
3Week	13Session		11-12 Session	2024/1/15	2024/1/16	2024/1/17	2024/1/18	2024/1/19	2024/1/20	
Week	14Session		13-14 Session	2024/1/22	2024/1/23	2024/1/24	2024/1/25	2024/1/26	2024/1/27	
		Make Up Day	-	2024/1/29	2024/1/30	2024/1/31	2024/2/1	2024/2/2	2024/2/3	
	*Fall Intensive (Course	First Block: Fe Second Block:	bruary 5- February 10 February 13- February	/ 18					

Class cancellation or make up class updates will be posted on WBS website

: Classes held on National holidays

[Spring] N/A

[Fall] October 10 (Sports Day) October 21 (Anniversary of the founding)

https://www.waseda.jp/fcom/wbs/assets/uploads/2023/03/a8b3979263 034d77113d8f6c72e1e92e.pdf

https://www.waseda.jp/fcom/wbs/en/students-and-alumni/calendar

Course Registration

[Fall semester courses]

(Fall and Winter quarters, normal 14 weeks-semester, and Intensive courses)

	Sep. 20 10:00 - Sep. 22 23:59
Course Registration Period	 * Register for winter quarter courses during this period as well. * This period is for the WBS courses. For others, please refer to the table below.
Result Annoucement	Sep. 27 10:00
Course Cancellation Period	Oct. 11 10:00 – Oct. 12 23:59 * Winter quarter course cancellations can also be made during this
	*Up to 3 courses can be canceled during this period.
Winter Quarter Course Cancellation Period	Dec. 4 10:00 – Dec. 5 23:59 *Only 1 course can be canceled during this period
Intensive Course Registration Period	Jan. 15 10:00 – Jan. 18 23:59
	1 st Term: until Feb. 4 12:00 2 nd Term: until Feb. 12 12:00
Intensive Course Cancellation Period	*You can cancel only with a valid reason; Please contact our office (wbs-ac@list.waseda.jp) with the course title and the reason for the withdrawal.

https://www.waseda.jp/fcom/wbs/assets/uploads/2023/08/202309_Fall_Schedule_E.pdf



Course Registration

Course Registration (for WBS courses)

Course registration commences at 10:00 Wednesday 20 September and will close at 23:59 Friday 22 September

※ You must register for all types of courses (excluding the intensive courses) for your Fall Semester during this course registration period; there will not be an additional registration period

The intensive course registration will commence at **10:00 Monday 15 January** and will close at **23:59 Thursday 18 January**

Course Cancellation (for WBS courses)

The course cancellation period is from **10:00 Wednesday 11 October to 23:59 Thursday 12 October.** The Winter Quarter course cancellation period begins 10:00 Monday, 4 December 4 and ends 23:59 Tuesday, 5 December.

The deadline for intensive course cancellation is until the day before the intensive course block commences (i.e., until **12:00 Sunday 4 February** for Block 1 courses, and **12:00 Monday 11 February** for Block 2 courses)

X You are NOT able to register for additional courses during the course cancellation period. This period is only for CANCELLATION



Date	Contents
Sept. 20 to 22	Course Registration Period
Sept. 27	Registration result (WBS courses) announcement
Sept. 28	Introduction Session for Seminar (Zemi) for IMBA students
Oct. 5	Fall Semester courses start
Oct.11 to Oct. 12	Course Cancellation Period * This is for the cancellation of Autumn/Winter quarter courses and semester courses Up to 3 courses can be canceled during this period.



Date	Contents
Dec. 4 to 5	Course Cancellation Period (Winter quarter courses only) * Up to 1 coruses can be canceled during thie period
Jan. 15 to 18	Course Registration Period for Fall Intensive Courses
Feb. 5 to 18	Fall Intensive Course Period (There are two blocks within the period)
March 7	Fall Semester course grades announcement



Course List

International MBA Program (Full-Time)

1. Degree Requirements

A student must fulfill the following requirements in order to be conferred an MBA degree by Waseda University:

- (1) Be enrolled in the International MBA program (full-time) for two years (or more).
- (2) Earn 50 (or more) credits in line with the category classification designated by WBS.
- (3) Submit the Degree thesis, participate in Seminars, complete the Research Guidance, and pass the Thesis Evaluation Screening and the Final Oral Examination.

Number of credits required for graduation by course category

-	Cour	se Category	Number of Required Credits	Remarks		
	Compulsory (Core Courses	14	 All courses (7 courses) in this category are required. 		
	Compulsory I Courses	Compulsory Elective Courses		 6 credits (3 courses) or more are required. If earning more than 6 credits, the credits will be counted toward graduation. 		
	Elective Courses	Bilingual Courses or Overseas Courses	4 or more	 4 credits (2 courses) or more are required. Both English and Japanese languages are used in Bilingual courses. Grades will be given by P/Q assessment (see V. Grading System). Overseas courses are held outside of Japan, for example, in Singapore. 		
		General Elective Courses	8 or more	- 8 credits (4 courses) or more are required.		
,		Seminars	8	- Seminars are offered in each semester from the first year and registered automatically.		
	Specialize d Research	Research Guidance	-	 8 credits (4 courses) or more are required. Seminars are offered in each semester from the first year and registered automatically. Research Guidance, which is non-credit, is offered in each semester from the second year and registered automatically. Grades will be given by P/Q assessment in each semester. 		
		Degree Thesis	4	 Degree thesis will be registered automatically. See Section 3 Degree thesis. 		
	Total		50 or more			

https://www.waseda.jp/fcom/wbs/assets/uploads/2023/08/01-01 E Academic-Guidelines.pdf https://www.waseda.jp/fcom/wbs/en/students-and-alumni/class

■ Course List for 2023

Compulsory Core Courses: A group of 7 foundational courses that must be taken before graduation.

Compulsory Elective Core Courses : A group of courses in which students must select three out of a total of five courses before graduation **General Elective Courses :** Courses other than the above Core Courses that count toward requirements for completion

Below is the link for the "Course List for 2023" https://www.waseda.jp/fcom/wbs/assets/uploads/ 2023/03/2023WBS-Course-List_0315.pdf

Find more details about the courses, such as classrooms, outlines, and evaluation methods, in the syllabus. <u>Syllabus Search</u>

For International MBA Program Students

<u>Compulsory Core Course</u>

Marketing	Financial Accounting	Global Management	
General Management	Management of People and Organizations	Corporate and Business Strategy	
Finance	*Some courses are provided in Spring semester		

*Some courses are provided in Spring semester These will be registered in your 2nd semester

✓ All 7 courses will be registered automatically

✓ All courses are mandatory

 You can drop them during the course registration period as well as the cancellation period if you want.



For International MBA Program Students

Compulsory Elective Course

Business Data Analysis	Managerial Accounting	Entrepreneurship
Economics for Business Administration	Technology & Operations Management	

*Some courses are provided in Spring semester These will be registered in your 2nd semester

- ✓All 5 courses will be registered automatically
- \checkmark 3 out of 5 are required.

✓You can drop them during the course registration period as well as the cancellation period if you want.

For MSc in Finance Program Students

<u>Compulsory Core Course</u>

Statistics	ECONOMETRICS	Microeconomics
Equity Investments	Fixed Income Investments	Mathematics for Finance
Corporate Finance		

All 7 courses will be registered automatically All courses are mandatory You can drop them during the course registration period as well as the cancellation period if you want.



For MSc in Finance Program Students

Compulsory Elective Course

- Register by YOURSELF through MyWaseda
- ✓8 courses (16 credits) or more are required
- Although they are not registered automatically, we do recommend you to take all required courses during the 1st year



Registration of Zemi

For International MBA Program Students

✓Zemi Introduction Session will be held on Sept. 28 13:00 JST via Zoom

Date	Contents				
Sept. 28	Introduction Session for Seminar (Zemi)				
Sept. 28 to Oct. 10	1 st Round Contact Period *				
Oct. 11	1 st Round Application Period				
Oct. 12 to 16	1 st Round Screening Period				
Oct. 17	Result Announcement of 1 st Round				
*Bring your research plan (You can download the form from the Website)					



Registration of Zemi

For MSc in Finance Program Students

✓ Students are required to register for Zemi courses from the 2nd semester.

 ✓ Zemi Introduction Session will be held in February. Date and Time TBA



Courses offered by other graduate schools

Register for courses offered by other graduate schools

The course registration period for courses offered by CJL, GEC, and other graduate schools are **different to the WBS course registration period**. Please refer to the website below for registration schedules and lists of courses offered by each school.

GEC Course Registration Guide: <u>https://www.waseda.jp/inst/gec/en/graduate/registration/</u>

* The maximum number of CJL courses you can take in 1 semester is 8 credits.

*An additional Tuition Fee of **5,000 yen per credit** must be paid when taking CJL courses.

X Some Japanese language courses are very popular, and should the number of applicants exceed class capacity, a lottery system will be implemented in which students are randomly selected for course enrolment. As such, we are unfortunately unable to guarantee that you will successfully be enrolled in the language classes.



MyWaseda

■ Logging in to MyWaseda

You should already have logged into your MyWaseda account, set up your account and created your MyWaseda email address.

If you have yet to do so, please ensure you have completed this **as soon as possible**, as all important information will be sent to your MyWaseda email address.

Please double check the information on your MyWaseda account is correct. If any corrections or changes are necessary, please contact the WBS office.

Starting to Use MyWaseda http://www.waseda.jp/navi/e/mywaseda/initial.html

Step-by-Step Instructions on Course Registration Using the Web System https://waseda.box.com/s/gdx5n3wbr07m5806k4gh6m256f1weosf





https://my.waseda.jp/



Web Course Registration (1)



Web Course Registration (2)

Login page for course registration period	
Course guidance week>>■ Course Registration■ Grape record	
▶ Waseda-net mail	
Inquiry	
Return to the Waseda-net-portal login screen.	
Please see the web pages below or handouts to know about "Grade report" and "Course registration" in detail Grade report: <u>reference(isoanese only)</u> Course registration: <u>Web course registration</u> (apages only)	
•Web course registration correspondence log	



Course Search (1)

 (2) To select additional courses use "Course Search." After selecting courses, please click "Course Add" to make changes to the class schedule. (3) Click "Course Drop" to the "Course Drop" page. (4) Click "Course Change" to the "Course Change" page. (5) Be sure to print a copy of this page for your records. 											
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fall semester	Mon.	4	WBS		<u>Financial</u> Accounting(Full-time)	NISHIYAMA, Shigeru SHIMADA, Yasuo	waseda		Compulsory Core (Full-time)	2	Registered
fall semester	Tues.	3	WBS		<u>Business Data</u> Analysis(Full-time)	ASABA, Shigeru	waseda		Compulsory Elective Core (Full-time)	2	Registered
fall semester	Tues.	4	WBS		<u>Marketing(Full-time)</u>	KAWAKAMI, Tomoko	waseda		Compulsory Core (Full-time)	2	Registered
fall semester	Thur.	3	WBS		Management of People and Organizations(Full-time)	OHTAKI, Reiji	waseda		Compulsory Core (Full-time)	2	Registered
fall semester	Thur.	4	WBS		Economics for Business Administration(Full-time)	IRIYAMA, Akie	waseda		Compulsory Elective Core (Full-time)	2	Registered
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Core (Full-time)

Registered



semester

WASEDA University

WBS

Finance(Full-time)

4

Fri.

Course Search (2) for WBS Courses

1. School WBS OK	1. Choose "WBS" from "School", and click "OK"							
2. Course Category	Search Result select "Check Box" to select courses Return to the first page							
Compulsory Core Courses 🔹 🗸	Check Term Day Period Schl Note Course Title Instructor Campus Classroom Category Credit Order							
3. Search Keyword Course Title Prefix search (Search in words of beginning). Term Day Period Search	2. Choose "Course Category" # All course category that students can select are displayed on the pull- down menu.							

Course Search (3)



Search methods

▼ Course title Search to match from the beginning letters. Please do not include course letters and numbers in the keyword. For example if you want to search for "Philosophy IA" enter "Philosophy."

▼ Days • Period Term, Day and Period can be specified with pull-down menus.



Course Add (1)

1. School	.Cł	nec				2016-09-28 12:00											
1. 501001	Fall	NBS Secon	d Regi	stration	(All)		2016-09-28 10:00 - 2016-	10-06 23:59									
WBS • OK	S - OK Special enrollment fees must be paid for the courses with "Fee" mark. Click "URL" for more information.																
2. Course Category		Search Rez	ult	sele	ct "Ch	eck Bo	x" to select courses			Return to the first page							
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Period 🔹		fall semester	Thur.	4	WBS		Economics for Bu Administration(Fun-amer	ANIC			(Full-time)						
Search		fall semester	Fri.	1	WBS		<u>Business Data</u> Analysis(Full-time)	UNO, Jun	waseda		Compulsory Elective Core (Full-time)	2					





Course Add (3)

You have selected the following courses. To complete the registration process click "OK." You can add more courses by returning to the first page.															
List o reg	List of courses for registration OK Click "OK" button, to complete the registration.										Return to first page				
Term	Day	Period	Schl	Note	e Course Title	Instructor	Campus Classroom		Category	Credit	Status/Order				
fall semester	Mon.	2	WBS		Entrepreneurship(Full-time)	HIGASHIDE, Hironori	waseda		Compulsory Elective Core (Full-time)	2	Tentative selection				
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fall semester	Mon.	2 ۱	NBS	ļ	Entrepreneurship(Full-time)	HIGASHIDE, Hironori	waseda		Compulsory Elective Core (Full-time)	2	Registration submitted				
fall semester	Mon.	4	WBS		Financial Accounting(Full-time)	NISHIYAMA, Shigeru SHIMADA, Yasuo	waseda		Compulsory Core (Full-time)	2	Registered				

✓ When you click the "OK" button, the registration will be fixed. If there is no error, the status will changes from "Tentative selection" to "Registration submitted."

Course Add (4)

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spring semester	Mon.	2	WBS		Finance(Full-time)	IWAMURA, Mitsuru	waseda	11-9	902	Con Core	ipulsory e (Full-time)	2		Registered	Ī
spring semester	Tues.	4	WBS		<u>Human Resource</u> Development of Global Business Leader	OHTAKI, Reiji	waseda	11-9	904	Gen Elec (Full	eral tive -time)	2		Registered	
spring semester	Tues.	5	WBS		Corporate Strategy	UCHIDA, Kazunari	waseda	11-:	108	Proj Res	ect earch	2		Registered	
spring semester	Tues.	6	WBS		Corporate Strategy	UCHIDA, Kazunari	waseda	11-:	108	Res Guio	earch Iance	0		Registered	

✓ If your registration makes conflict with any of WBS registration rules (e.g. exceeds the course registration limits), the conflict reason is indicated in the column of "Status/Order". Please reconsider your registration and drop any courses if necessary from the "Course Drop".

Course Add (5)

Courses with "Fee" mark charge a special enrollment fee. Click "URL" for more information. Click "Apply" for additional application. Click <u>Course Title</u> for syllabus.								e Credits	30	Full year	0	Spring semester	30	Fall semester 0
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spring semester	Tues.	4	WBS		luman Resource Development of Global Jusiness Leader		OHTAKI, Reiji	waseda	11-	904	Gen Eleci (Full	eral tive -time)	2	Registered
spring semester	Tues.	5	WBS		Corporate Strategy		UCHIDA, Kazunari	waseda	11-	1108	Proj Rese	ect earch	2	Registered
spring semester	Tues.	6	WBS		Corporate Strategy		UCHIDA, Kazunari	waseda	11-	1108	Rese Guid	earch lance	0	Registered

✓ you can check the syllabus when you click course title.

✓ The evaluation rule of each subject is listed in the syllabus.

✓You can also check the syllabus on web-syllabus.

Waseda Moodle

■What is Moodle?

Moodle is a service which facilitates communication between students and instructors. Important information such as Class Cancellation announcements, Lecture Materials, Report Discussion Chats and Review Sheets will all be announced via Moodle. Please ensure that you are familiar with Moodle before the start of your classes, and to check your Moodle frequently. You will be able to log-in to your Waseda Moodle using your Waseda ID and password.

Below is the Waseda Moodle User Guide: https://www.waseda.jp/navi/e/wsdmoodle/index.html

Home > Learning Support > Waseda Moodle

Make sure you bookmark this page, as you will be using Moodle for all of your classes



Transfer of credits

Transfer credits earned prior to enrollment If you meet the following conditions prior to enrolling as a regular student at WBS, up to 6 credits earned at that time may be transferred.

- Non-degree student at WBS
- Non-degree/regular student at the Graduate School of Commerce MBA Track or the Graduate School of Finance, Accounting and Law

To apply for the transfer, send the following form to the WBS office<wbs-ac@list.waseda.jp> by October 31 of this year. https://waseda.box.com/shared/static/dqk37sxtoe7n2fmtke4uaoh5twmws im5.docx



Useful Links

Waseda Business School website https://www.waseda.jp/fcom/wbs/en

Center for International Education (CIE) <u>https://www.waseda.jp/inst/cie/en</u>

Intercultural Communication Center(ICC) https://www.waseda.jp/inst/icc/en/

Student Affairs Section https://www.waseda.jp/inst/student/en

Writing Center https://www.waseda.jp/inst/aw/en/about/using

Gym facilities <u>https://www.waseda.jp/inst/student/en/facility/training</u>

Health Support Center https://www.waseda.jp/inst/hsc/en



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