

Each module is either 5 or 10 credits representing 5 or 10 weeks of fulltime work. The majority of the modules are offered as fulltime studies which means that you study only one or at the most two modules at a time.

Below you find the modules offered during the 2006/07 session of the MSc Programme in Business Administration. Note that all courses are offered on campus which means that your presence on campus is required.

Browse the available options in order to be prepared to make your choice when you come here for the Programme Introduction August 28th. If you want further information on the separate modules please check <http://idenet.bth.se> where you enter the code (or name) of the module you are interested in to get to the relevant web-page.

Session 1 (September, week 35 – November, week 43)

FEC024 "Strategy, Business Development and Information Systems",
10 credits, fulltime

Though this module is at the Bachelor-level it is highly recommended as an integrative start of the MSc programme. Those of you which lack modules on Business Strategy and Policy in your previous studies should definitely consider this module.

FED002 "Decision making I",
5 credits, fulltime

FED003 "Decision making II",
5 credits, fulltime

These modules deal with normative models for analysing decisions made under uncertainty and theories of cognitive issues regarding decision making.

FED016 "Ekonomi och Verksamhetsstyrning", *ONLY IN SWEDISH*
10 credits, fulltime

This is an advanced module on Management Control and requires that you have done this subject area in undergraduate modules.

Session 2 (November, week 44 – January, week 2)

FED011 "The Individual in the Organization",
10 credits, fulltime

This is a module in advanced organization theory where the aim is to equip students for conducting in-depth organizational analysis.

FED014 "E-business",
10 credits, fulltime (partly net-based)

In this module you are exposed to the most recent developments in the area of e-business with a specific emphasis of business and strategy development.

FED017 "Business Intelligence",
5 credits, part time

This module run on a parttime basis which means that you could combine it with another parttime module. In the module you are introduced to the emerging area of Business Intelligence. Special attention is given to the use of IT-tools when creating a business intelligence system for an organization.

During session 2 we also start the preparations for the Master thesis which you are to write during the Spring semester.

FEDxxx "Seminar on Research methodology",
5 credits, part time.
Note that the module continues through January and part of February

During this module you are exposed to issues of research methodology and are also to write a proposal for your Master thesis. The idea is to give those students who only have limited experience doing business-research a chance to get a head start on their thesis-work. The module is **mandatory** for students who do not have a 10 credit project or thesis-work in their previous studies.

During session 2 there are also a number of shorter Bachelor-level courses available. These offer you an opportunity in-depth studies of specific issues in management.

FEC055 "Change in Organizations",
5 credits, parttime

FEC011 "Marketing of High-tech Products",
5 credits, parttime

FEC020 "Executive Communications and IT",
5 credits, parttime

FEC071 "Finance and Financial markets",
5 credits, parttime

FEC072 "Investment theory and Behavioural Finance",
5 credits, parttime

Session 3 (January, week 3 – March, week 11)

FED010 "Investments in the IT-industry",
10 credits, fulltime

The module deals with evaluation of complex investments, applied to evaluation of corporations in the ICT-industry.

FED018 "Knowledge Management",
5 credits, parttime

This module should be seen as a sequel to the module in Business Intelligence. While we in Business Intelligence mainly deals with how information and knowledge – 'intelligence' – can be gathered from external sources, Knowledge Management deals with the diffusion and creation of knowledge within an organization.

NAB009 "International Economics",
5 credits, parttime.

This module address the macro-economic conditions in different economies and aims to develop the student's ability to conduct analysis of changing economic conditions with implications for companies as well as individuals.

During session 3 there are also two advanced modules, in sociology and philosophy, which targets those of you interested in pursuing a research-oriented career. Note that these modules, although being at the master-level, do not count as part of the required master-level modules in Business Administration.

SOD001 "Science and Technology Studies",
10 credits, fulltime

In this module you are exposed to the main traditions in science and technology studies.

FID005 "Vetenskapsfilosofi", *ONLY IN SWEDISH*
5 credits, parttime. Note that the module run through the whole Spring-semester

This module provide you with an overview of the history of scientific thought.

As during the second session there are also a number of Bachelor-level modules offered during the half of the Spring semester.

FEC010 "Advertising",
5 credits, parttime.

FEC054 "PR, Communication and information systems",
5 credits, parttime.

FEC009 "Ledarskap", ONLY IN SWEDISH
5 credits, parttime.

FEC017 "Strategic Management of Change",
5 credits, parttime.

Finally the Master Thesis starts during session 3

Research methodology,
Continued

FED006 "Master Thesis in Business Administration",
10 credits, parttime

Session 4 (March, week 12 – June, week 22)

During this session you are to concentrate on your Master Thesis and thus there are no taught modules offered. This will also give you a chance to finish modules that you have started earlier

FED006 "Master Thesis in Business Administration"
10 credits, continued