

## Global Business Center MBA Direct Exchange Opportunities



### DENMARK – Copenhagen Business School

<http://uk.cbs.dk/exchange>

#### Overview:

Copenhagen Business School has around 14,000 students and an annual intake of around 1,200 exchange students. With this number of students, as well as around 400 full-time researchers and around 500 administrative employees, CBS is one of the 3 largest business schools in Northern Europe.

CBS aims to:

- contribute to the creation of value in society and in enterprises
- train Master's graduates who are competitive in an international labor market
- develop research-based knowledge in partnership with the business community

#### Terms\* & Dates:

- Fall: late Aug through late-Dec/early-Jan (may have to take exams early)
- Winter: term does not align with UW calendar
- Summer: <http://www.cbs.dk/summer>, 6-wk program runs end June - early August

\*Partner school terms shorter than 9 weeks during the Academic Year, and shorter than 4.5 weeks during Summer Quarter, do not qualify for federal Financial Aid.

## Academics:

Fall Semester: <http://uk.cbs.dk/grad>

Semester long exchange students must take a minimum of 30 ECTS credits (roughly four courses) to meet Danish visa regulations. Fall term course info is updated each April.

ECTS is the "European Credit Transfer System". Credit equivalencies are as shown:

13 ECTS = 10 UW credits

16 ECTS = 12 UW credits

19 ECTS = 14 UW credits

21 ECTS = 16 UW credits

Students may transfer up to 16 credits (21 ECTS) toward their UW MBA degree. *Check with the UW MBA Program Office to determine your overseas course load.*

Summer: <http://cbs.dk/summer>

This 6-week summer program offers students the option of completing the equivalent of a half semester (15 ECTS or 11 UW credits) in a multicultural environment. A full load will consist of two courses. Courses may be limited.

Housing: <http://uk.cbs.dk/housing>

CBS helps incoming students find housing, as long as they apply by the application deadline. This deadline will be provided by CBS via email and is typically in May. The application process is on a

first come, first served basis, so do not be disappointed if you do not get your first priority. Please note that because of acute lack of sufficient student housing in Copenhagen, CBS cannot guarantee to fulfil all requirements. Applications received after the deadline will be processed, but CBS cannot guarantee that housing will be found. Accommodation prices are available at the above website. Housing rates have risen drastically and relatively few places are available at the cheaper end of the scale. Some shared rooms are available at lower rates.

Career Services: <https://cbs.dk/en/alumni/benefits-and-offers/career-services>

Career office access

Internships

Recruiting fairs

## Scholarships:

- **Summer/Fall:** The Scan | Design Foundation has created a generous fellowship. **Deadline to apply to be a Scan | Design Fellow is January 15.** More information can be found here: <http://scandesign.be.uw.edu/fellowship-program/apply-for-the-fellowship/>

## Exchange Office Services:

All exchange partners offer course registration assistance, transcripts, orientations, and paperwork necessary to obtain a student visa. Obligatory one-week orientation in late August. CBS matches in-bound exchange with a "buddy".

A student visa for Fall Semester and proof of adequate health insurance for either term are required for study at CBS.

**Intro Language:**

A 5-day “Danish Crash Course” is available the week prior to the exchange start. Danish language is also available during the academic year. Additional fees apply. Language classes do not count toward UW MBA elective credits.

The Scan|Design Fellowship Program will provide up to \$1000 in supplemental funding to Fall/Spring or Academic Year Fellows participating in pre-semester language programs. Find out more here: <http://scandesign.be.uw.edu/fellowship-program/danish-language-exploration/>

**Additional Information:**

Explore the [CBS Academic Experience](#) page  
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