## **BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION** (SMEAL - PH.D., M.S.)

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Program Code BUSA

Campus(es)University Park (Ph.D., M.S.)Degrees ConferredDoctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.)Master of Science (M.S.)

Dual-Title Ph.D. and M.S. in Business Administration and Operations Research

The Graduate Faculty View (https://

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The Master of Science in Business Administration program is highly flexible and designed for advanced study in a specialized field. The M.S. program is directed toward the development of competency within a defined area of management. Fields such as accounting and management science are examples of career opportunities requiring specialized knowledge and skill, including research.

The Doctor of Philosophy degree in the Business Administration program offers advanced graduate education for students focused on research careers at leading business schools. The faculty of the college views the Ph.D. as evidencing scholarship at the highest level.