



WARWICK BUSINESS SCHOOL

## THE FIRST YEAR

### What are the timings of my core modules in the first year?

Below is a schedule of your first year core modules and the dates on which you are expected to attend at Warwick. We expect you to attend 100% of the module so if you anticipate any difficulty attending during these times you should discuss your situation with the Programme Coordinator. The core modules run twice a year so you can pick up a deferred module without impacting too heavily on the programme of study set out below.

Calendar of Modules The dates of modules for the next Modular intake are:	
w/c 10 February 2014	Online pre-induction Webinars 3 x 1 hour evening sessions (dates tbc)
8–9 March 2014	Induction Weekend
10–14 March 2014	Organisational Behaviour
28 April – 2 May 2014	Operations Management
16–20 June 2014	Accounting & Financial Management including class test 20 June 2014
13–17 October 2014	Marketing
8 December 2014	Examination: Marketing
9–13 December 2014	Economics of the Business Environment
26–30 January 2015	Modelling & Analysis for Management
16–20 March 2015	Strategic Advantage

### What other MBA commitments must I allow time for?

Although you have a schedule listing the core modules in your first year, you need to consider more than just attending the actual module week.

For each module there is preparation to do, usually pre-reading of books, articles, journals or websites. You will normally receive your materials for core modules at the end of the preceding core module. For example, you will take the materials for Operations Management with you at the end of Organisational Behaviour. If we are sending materials out to you this will be no later than four weeks before the start of the module, the assumption being that you need about this much time to prepare for a module.

Following each module you will be required to research and write an individual assignment. The submission deadline for this is typically four weeks after the end of the module. The date for submission is always confirmed on *my.wbs* and also in the module pack.

You may therefore find that the time for preparation and submission overlap so you should plan time for these activities into your programme of study schedule very carefully.



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	Induction	Organisational Behaviour	Operations Management	Accounting & Financial Management	Marketing	Economics of the Business Environment	Modelling & Analysis for Management	Strategic Advantage	
	10/02	Online pre-induction Webinars 2 x 1-hr evening sessions (exact dates tbc)	Preparation						
	17/02								
	24/02								
	03/03								
	08 & 09/03	Induction @WBS							
	10/03	Attend @ WBS							
	17/03								
	24/03	Assessment (due date 14.4.14)							
	31/04								
	07/04		Preparation						
	14/04								
	21/04								
	28/04		Attend @ WBS						
	05/05								
	12/05								
	19/05		Assessment (due date 2.6.14)						
	26/05								
	02/06			Preparation					
	09/06								
	16/06								
	20/06			Attend @WBS					
	23/06			Class test 20.6.14					
	30/06								
	07/07			Assessment (due date 21.7.14)					
	14/07								
	21/07								
	28/07								
	04/08								
	11/08								
	18/08								
	25/08								
	01/09								
	08/09								
	15/09								
	22/09				Preparation				
	29/09								
	06/10								
	13/10				Attend @ WBS				
	20/10								
	27/10				Assessment (due date 17.11.14)				
	03/11								
	10/11					Preparation			
	17/11								
	24/11								
	01/12								
	08/12					Exam: 8.12.14			
	09/12					Attend @ WBS			
	15/12								
	22/12					Assessment (due date 19.1.15)			
	29/12								
	05/01						Preparation		
	12/01								
	19/01								
	26/01						Attend @ WBS		
	02/02								
	09/02						Assessment (due date 2.3.15)		
	16/02								
	23/03							Preparation	
	02/03								
	09/03								
	16/03							Attend @ WBS	
	23/03								
	30/03							Assessment (due date 20.4.15)	
	06/04								
	13/04								
	20/04								