The University of Chicago
Graduate School of Business
Executive MBA Program
North America
XP-77 Orientation

- Purpose
- Agenda
- Introductions
Staff Introductions

Mark Zmijewski, Deputy Dean for Part-time MBA Programs
Bill Kooser, Associate Dean for Executive MBA Programs
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Julie Ferguson, Associate Director, Admissions
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Claire Tsai, Academic Advisor
XP-77 Profile

• Total Students: 94
• Male: 72%    Female: 28%
• Citizenships: 9 countries
• Average Age: 38.5
• Age Range: 28 – 57
• Advanced Degrees: 31%
## XP-77 States Represented

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XP-77 Industries

- Telecommunications: 6%
- Technology: 8%
- Real Estate: 4%
- Non-profit: 7%
- Manufacturing: 5%
- Energy: 3%
- Healthcare: 13%
- Consulting: 10%
- Banking / Financial Services: 23%
- Advertising / Marketing Services: 6%
- Other: 15%
XP-77 Job Functions

- General Management: 13%
- Health Care: 6%
- Entrepreneurial / Self-Employed: 5%
- Consulting: 7%
- Engineering: 4%
- Information Systems: 6%
- Operations: 3%
- Law: 4%
- Sales / Marketing: 13%
- Business Development: 10%
- Accounting / Finance: 6%
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XP Classes

• Classes consist of up to 12 Sessions
  – 10 Lectures (standard for all courses)
  – Midterm/Review (may or may not be used)
  – Final Examination (may or may not be used)

• Daily Schedule
  – 9am – 12 noon or 12:30 (class #1)
  – 12noon – 1:30pm (lunch break)
  – 1:30pm – 4:30pm or 5pm (class #2)
  – Reviews
GSB Email Lists

xp77@lists.ChicagoGSB.edu
  - “open” list
xp77staff@lists.ChicagoGSB.edu
  - official correspondence from the GSB

*Both are moderated*
GSB Portal

http://portal.ChicagoGSB.edu

• Chalk
• Community Directory
• Announcements
• Intranet / Kiosk
• Access to Course / Faculty Information
Academic Support

- Teaching Assistants (TAs)
- Academic Advisor
- Study Group
Study Groups

- Formation
- Expectations
Student Activities Council (SAC)

- 5 Elected Members
- Election Process (autumn quarter)
- Speaker Series
- Extracurricular Events
Social Activities

Range from formal (XP Social Calendar)… to informal (beer and wine after class)
XP Social Calendar

Summer Quarter 2006
• Kick-Off Week
• XP-77 Orientation
• End of 1st Quarter Party

Autumn Quarter 2006
• GSB Alumni Event
• Spouse / Partner Cocktail Party with XP76
• XP77 Spouse / Partner Program
• Holiday Toast with XP76
• Guest Speaker
XP Social Calendar

Winter Quarter 2007
• New Year Party with XP76
• XP76 “Send-Off” Party
• Guest Speaker

Spring Quarter 2007
• GSB Alumni Event
• XP77 Family Event at Navy Pier
• Guest Speaker
XP Social Calendar

Summer Quarter 2007
• London and Singapore Weeks

Autumn Quarter 2007
• Electives Week in Chicago
• GSB Alumni Event
• Spouse/Partner Cocktail Party with XP78
• Holiday Toast with XP78
• Guest Speaker

Winter Quarter 2008
• New Year Party with XP78
• XP77 Closing Dinner
• XP77 Send-Off from XP78
• Convocation Week
• Graduation Ball
Building Information

Gleacher Center Hours
- Monday – Friday: 7am – 12:00 am
- Saturday: 7am – 12:00 am
- Sunday: 7am – 12:00 am

Group Study Rooms
- 3 hours at a time
- Reserve with Security using your University ID

Lockers
- Coin operated lockers on lobby level
- Do not leave belongings unattended – this is a public building

Computing Lab
Fisher Library